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April 4 — 3
April 13 — 1
April 21 — 1
June 7 — 1
Sept 26 — 1
Octr 4 —
11 4
5 2
Decemr 23 — 7
Janry 11 — 3
Feby 13 —
Feb 7 — 2
March 2 — 1
March [illegible]

Decemr 24 1
Decemr 5 1
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[illegible] 20 — 3

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Records of the town of Eastham

That the Succeeding Generations Should Not Be ignoran
of the proceedings of the town of Eastham It May Be prope
to take Notice that Previous to the 3 Day of March
1797 the towns of Eastham and Orleans were both In
one Incorperate town at which period the town of
Orleans was By an act of the Great Great and
General Cort of this Commonwelth Set off and Incorporate
In to a town By itself:
Deacon Joseph pepper then Being the only Select man
Left In the town of Eastham was By the athority
aforesaid Invested with the foul Righ and athority
to warn a legal annawel town Meeting Some time
In the Month of March or april for the purpose of
Chusing town officers or any other Bussiness propper
to Be Done at annawell Meetings
Accordingly a worrent was Issued as followes
Barnstable ss To the Constable of the town of Eastha
Greeting this Is to will and Require you forthwith to
Worn all the freeholders and other Inhabitents Quallify
By Constitution to vote In town affairs to assemble and
and Meet at the Meeting house In said Eastham
on Wednesday which Is the fifteenth of this Instant march
at one of the Clock In the afternoon then and there
to Chuse al the Nessery town officers as the law direc
and also to Chuse a Committee to Settle our town
affairs with the town of Orleans If the town Shall
think proper: to Make Due Returns of this worron
and your Doings on or before said Meeting
this worront Given under My hand and Seal this
tenth Day of March AD 1797

Joseph pepper } Select Man

At the forementioned Meeting the officers Choſen were as followes

Benjamin Clark } town Clerk and treaſurer

Joſeph pepper
Samuel fremon
James Mayo } Select Men.

Samuel fremon
David Brown
Eliſha Mayo } aſseſſors

Joſeph Snow } Conſtable

Joſeph Cook } tithingman

David Knowls
Caleb lumbird } fenceviewers

Eliſha Mayo } Savair of boards and Shingels

Iſaac pain } leather Sealer

Elkanah higgens
John Knowls } Servaiors of highways

Richard attwood
James hickmon } hogreaſs

James attwood
James Doane
Benjamin Knowls
Joſeph mayo
Iſaac pain } Negative men

William Myrich } pound keeper

Benjamin Knowls } Sealer of weights and Meaſu

John Doane
Benjamin Clark
Samuel fremon } Committee to Settle with orleans

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the fore Mentioned Committee Mett at the house of Kezia hardings Inholder In orleans on the 11 Day of may 1797 and Report as followes

We the Subcribours the Joint Committee of the towns of Eastham and Orleans apointed and Directed to Meet together and adjust and settle the accounts and divide all the propety of said towns agreable to the Incorporating act of Orleans aforesaid have acordingly Meet at the Dwilling house of Kezia hardings Inholder In orleans And have fully Considered all the accounts and the vallue and property In town Stock at the time of said Incorporation Doe find that the said town of orleans is Indeted to said town of Eastham twohundred and seventeen Dollers and twentyfive Cents the said town of orleans to have the Benefit of all Moneys or outstanding taxes In the Collectors hands In said orleans and that the said town of Eastham shall pay to the said town of orleans as soon as any of the portmumacut tribe of Indians shall Become Chargable to said orleans thirteen Dollars and Ninetythree Cents on acount of Money loged in the tresuer of Eastham some time since the proceeds of of Lands sold by Micah Ralph by order of the General Court and that all the old Record Books one Large law Book and Jury box that Belonged to Eastham prior to said Incorporation shall Be kept and Belong to said town of orleans and that said town of orleans shall have and hold twentyeight and a half pounds of Pouder formerly Belonging to the town stock and three hundred and sixty two pounds of Led and one hundred and Ninetyseven flints as will apiar more fully by Certificate Enterchangably signed this Day with one Chist and o 66 and that all the Remaining stock and property shall Remain and Belong to said Eastham forever

Simeon Kingman
Richard Sparrow
hezekiah higgins
John Doane
Benja Clark
} Committee

4. Records of the frementioned Settlement on the 17 Day m

March ye 3 Day 1797 town of Eaſtham In the acounts of Orleans	D	C	
to Schoolmoney Not Expended and orders not In	33	65	
to the Expence of the poor and doctors Bill Glaſs and taking Care of the Meeting houſe	52	95	
to Mr Baſcoms Sallary to the 3 Day of March	59	90	
to Simeon Kingmon for mony paid and Setling with the treaſurer	2.	50	
to Mr Benjamin ~~[illegible]~~ taylor town Clark	5	97	5
	154	97	5

March ye 3 Day 1797 In accounts of the town of Eaſtham			
By Mony Due to Benjamin Clark for his attendance at the General Cort	50	00	00
Bye Nychel Collingses attending at General Cort	24	00	0
Due to Mr Shaw towards his Sallary	45	18	
Due to Mr Shaw toward his Settlement	266	66	
Mony Due to Mr John doane for Setling with the treaſurer		66	
Due to Mr Saml fremon for hay for mr Shaw	2.	0	
	388	50	00
Due to the town of Eaſtham from orleans according to A Settlement Made by the Commettee	221	15	
	3	90	
	217	25	

April ye 11 Day 1797

upon a Settlement of Books weights and meaſures pound and all the old towns Stoars and the town of Eaſtham was Indebted to the town of orleans three Dollers and Ninety Cents and thirty three & ½ pounds of Lead Balls and there was Due from said orleans to Eaſtham aforesaid Eighteen and one half pounds of powder

Which Some of three Dollers and Ninety Cents deducted

Remains Due to Eaſtham — 217 25 0

Simeon Kingmon
hezekiah higgens
Richard Sparrow
John doane
Benjamin Clark

At the [illegible] settlement on the 11th day of January 1798 it was found that there was remaining in the Collectors hands for the town of Chatham Not paid to the Treasurer —

Viz In Seth Knowles hands —	D 171	15
In Samuel Cooke hands	5	38
In William Knowles hands	10	45
In Benjamin Clarke hands	1	25
In Heman Doane hands	9	
	440	36

Received into the Treasurers office In the year 1797 & 98

of William Knowles & of William [illegible]	[illegible]	
of Benjamin Clarke	1	
of Heman Doane —	440	36
of the town of [illegible]	2.17	73
of the town of Chatham by what was paid to the Rev [illegible] for the year 1796 }	1	[illegible]
of Joseph [illegible] Constable for the year 1797 }	6	
of Joseph Snow Constable for the year 1797 }	11 69	6
of Samuel Cook Constable		
Received of Joseph Snow	1 [illegible]	71
Received of Joseph Snow Constable December 1798	137	01
Received of Joseph Snow Constable January 1799	36	40
Received of Isaac Myrick Constable January 9th 1799	136	11
Received of Isaac Myrick Constable May ye 18th 1799	134	29
Received of Isaac Myrick Constable July ye 25th 1799	34	40
Received of Isaac Myrick Const Decemr 31st 1799	37	48
Received of James Cole Constable January ye 31th 1800	18	76
Received of James Cole [illegible] May [illegible] 1800	17	15
Received of James Cole [illegible]	11	38
[illegible]	[illegible]	

Records of the april Meeting in Eastham 1797

Barnstable SS to the Constable of the town of Eastham Greeting In the Name of the Commonwelth of Massachusetts these are to will and Require you forthwith to Notify and warn the freeholders and other Inhabitents of said town Qualified by Constitution to vote for a Representitive to assemble and Meet at the Meetinghouse in Eastham on Monday the third Day of april Next at two a Clock In the afternoon then and there to Give in their vote for a Governer Lieut Governer and Senator this warrant given under our hands and Seals at Eastham the twenty three Day of March 1797

[illegible]
Saml Freeman } Select men

Agreable to the above warrant the Meeting being held in said Eastham on Monday the third Day of april 1797 votes for the following persons were Given Counted and sorted and Recorded and declaration thereof made as By the Constitution Directed viz

Governer	Lieut Governer
for Increase Sumner 11 vots	for Moses Gill 11 vots

Senator
for [illegible] Thatcher 11 vots

Record of the august meeting in Eastham 1797

To Joseph Mayo Constable of the town of Eastham Greeting you are hereby Required in the Name of the Common wealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the freeholders and other Inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town meetings viz such as pay to one single tax besides poll or polls a sum equal to two thirds of a single poll tax to meet and assemble at the meeting house in Eastham on thursday the third day of august next at two of the Clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles viz

1 to Raise money for the support of the Gospel for the keeping of public schools and all other Contingent Charges that may arise in town

2ly to see if the town will vote Mr Philander Shaw ten pounds in Lew of his Superscription

3ly to see if the town will build a schoolhouse or school houses and hire a master or any other way they shall think proper

4ly to see if the town will Chuse a Committee to Proportion the State and County taxes with the town of Orleans for this present year also to see if the town will Agree with the Town of Orleans In respect of dividing property that was in said town also to see if the town will allow the Assessors the same premium for collecting the taxes for this present year also to see if the town will allow Mr Saml Cook his premium for collecting taxes that is what stands charged to him on the town's book also to see if the town will give a bounty on Blackbirds heads that is what is called [illegible] also for the town to act on the above mentioned as they have voted or any other way they shall think proper also to see if the town will give a [illegible] Premium for advertising General [illegible] Given under our hands and seals this 10 day of July 1797

James Mayo
Saml Freeman } Selectmen of Eastham

Records of the [illegible] August meeting 1797

The vote at the August Meeting of 3 Day 1797
Are As followes

voted that Joseph Pepper Elisha Mayo
John Knowls Samuel Freeman
be a Committee to propose what sum of Money
should be raised to defray the Charges of the town
the Committee Report 750 Dollars should be raised
which sum was voted by the town
voted also that 250 Dollars be paid in to the treasurer
by the 1 Day of January 1798 and 250 be paid by
the 20th Day of May following and 250 be paid by
the 1st Day of September 1798
voted also that the Revd Mr Philander Shaw should
have ten pound a year in lieu of his subscription
also voted that Benja Clark and Saml Freeman be a
Committee to settle with others as [illegible] for the [illegible]
also voted that [illegible] Brown should have his premium
for collecting the town and County tax provided he shall
settle with the treasurer by first Day of January 1798
also voted [illegible] Collector his premium for collecting general tax
with respect of paying the said [illegible] his premium
and a bounty on Blackbirds the vote past in the negative.
voted also that David Brown Caleb Lumbert Caleb Cook
John Knowls Isaac Smith Elisha Mayo be a Committee
respecting dividing the town into Districts and where
the Schoolhouses should set
voted also that the above mentioned Committee to settle
with [illegible] ought agree to have the property [illegible]
at the adjournment on the 5 Day October 1797
It was voted that 100 Dollars should be added to the
750 Dollars raised in the former part of the meeting
of which sum 200 Dollars should be appropriated to the
use of building a Schoolhouse in the South part of the town

Voted also that 200 Dollars Should be Raised In the year 1797 for the purpose of Building a Schoolhouse In the North part of the town

voted also that the town Should hire a Schoolmaster Six months

the forementioned Committee appointed to Settle with Orleans Report as follows

We the Joint Committee of Eastham and Orleans appointed by the towns aforesaid for the following purpose Have Met at the house of william Myricks Inholder In Eastham on friday ye 25 day of September 1797 and then and there have and do agree By the Consent of the forementioned towns that the town of Eastham May and Shall have a Right for the present year and untill one of the towns be dissattisfied and Inform the other by writing to tax all the property Lying In the town of Orleans that is owned By any of the Inhabitants of the town of Eastham. and also that the town of Orleans May and Shall have a Right for the present year and untill one the towns be dissattisfied and Inform the other By writing to tax all the property Lying In the town of Eastham that is owned By any of the Inhabitants of the town of Orleans

Simeon Kingman
Richard Sparrow
Hezekiah Higgins
Benja Clark
Saml Freeman
Committee

Red and Excepted In the town of Eastham.

Record of Report

The former chosen Committee Respecting Dividing the Town Rate [illegible]

Report as follows We the Committee being appointed to [illegible] the town rate [illegible] have assembled at the time and place and [illegible] the line to be as follows Beginning at the South west Corner of Capt [illegible] [illegible] land then Running in a Straight line to the South side of Elisha [illegible] house thence [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] August ye 13 A D 1791

[illegible]
John [illegible]
Caleb Cook
[illegible] Brown
Elisha [illegible]
Committee

The Return of the Assessment on the poles and Estates [illegible] September 1791

Agreeable to the vote of the town of [illegible] the forty [illegible] August we have assessed the poles and Estates of said town the Sum of [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and have Committed the Assessment to [illegible] town Collector with a warrant in due form of Law for Collecting and paying in the same to Benjamin [illegible] town treasurer or his Successor in that office [illegible] [illegible] Agreeable to a vote of said town [illegible] September [illegible] 1791

Samuel [illegible]
Elisha Gray
David Brown
Assessors

Records of a Warrant for a town Meeting, March 6 Day 1798

Barnstable ss

To Joseph Snow Constable of the town of Eastham
Greeting
you are hereby Required in the name of the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn
the free holders and other Inhabitants of said
town Qualified by law to vote in town Meetings
to Meet and assemble at the Meetinghouse in
said Eastham on tuesday the sixth Day of March
Next at one of the Clock in the afternoon to act on
the following articles viz first to Chuse all the
Necessary town officers as the law directs
2ly to Stop the River by [illegible] that leads
by the westward part of Benjamin Clarks farm to
the westward of the great pond as afsd If the town
shall think proper
also to Stop the Road that leads from Capt Joseph
Collings to the great pond as afsd If the town
thinks proper also to Chuse a Committee to Settle
the Schoolhouse Bill with Sam Freeman If the town
think proper: also for the town to Due what they think
proper with Regard to that Body of the Inland
that lies between Mr Thomas Doane Jun and Mr Richard
Attwoods
And also to see if the town will give leave to Individuals
to Dig a Creek out of the herringpond in order to
let the herring and to have the Benefit arising from it
and to Make Due Returns of this warrant and your
Doings thereon on or before the said Day
given under our hands and Seals this twenty third Day of
february 1798
Joseph Pepper
Samuel Mayo
Samuel Freeman } Selectmen of Eastham

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Records of the annual meeting In Eastham march ye 6th 1790

At a Meeting In the town of Eastham on the sixth Day of March 1790 agreable to the warrant Preceeding —— the vote were given in as followes

for town Clerk and town treasurer	Benjamin Clark	
Select men	Sol. ph pepper James mayo Saml freeman	Tithingman John hopkins
assessors	Saml freeman Elisha mayo Isaac Smith	
Constable	Isaac Myrick	
Surveyors of high ways	william Knowls Joseph Cook	
Surveyors of Boards and Shingles	Theophilus Knowls	
fence viewers	James Cole william andres Richard atwood	
hogreafs	Isaah Doane Jesse Doane	
Pound Keeper	william marrick	
field drivers	hatsel Nicorson hezekiah atwood	
Sealer of leather	Isaac paine	
Negative men	James atwood william myrick Elkany higgins	

voted that Benjamin Clark should have liberty to Stop the Road that goes by the west End of his farm to the great pond as uſual By gates and bars

voted alſo that Capt Joseph Collings should have Liberty to Stop the way by gates or bars from his house to the Great pond as uſual

voted alſo that a Committee Be Choſen to settle the Schoolhouse Bill with Saml Fremon

voted that Benjamin Knowls John Doane and Elisha Mayo Be the Committee to settle the Schoolhouse Bill with Saml Fremon:

With Reſpect to that Clause In the warrant Reſpecting the Body of Broken lands that lies between Heman Doane and Richard Atwoods the Did not act on the warrant

voted alſo that John doane Benjamin Knowls Seth Knowls Benjamin Clark and Joseph Collings Be a Committee to Examine the propriety of Digging a Crick to let herren In to the pond which Committee Reported at the ajournment: Vote In favour of it ugut ye 13th 1798

Records of a worrent for a toun meeting in Eastham

To Isaac Myrick Constable of the town of Eastham
Greeting: your are hereby Required in the Name
of the Commonwelth of Massachusetts to Notify and
Warn the freeholders and other Inhabitants of said
town Qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet
and assemble at the Meeting house in Eastham
on Monday the thirteenth day of this Instant august
at three of the Clock in the afternoon viz to act on
the following articles
1 to Raise Money for the support of the Gospel
2ly to Raise Money for the poor and schools and other
Necessary Charges that May arise in said town
also for the town to act and see what the think
in Regard to Diging a Canal from the Cornonpoint
to the great Meadow river or any branch of said
River   Given under our hands and seals
this first day of august 1798

Joseph [illegible]
Samuel Freeman   Selectmen
James Mayo   of Eastham

Agreable to the above worrant
the Inhabitants of the town of Eastham assembled
at the time and place above mentioned and then and
there voted that Sevenhundred and Eighty dollars
Shall be Raised for the formentioned purpose
viz 1/3 to be paid in to the treasure ye 1 day of January 1790
1/3 to be paid ye 1 day of May following
the other third to be paid in the last day of
December 1799

March 6. 1799. To one of the tenants who gave leave to individuals to stop a brook and [illegible] great [illegible]

Record of a worrent for the Choice of a Governer &c

To Isaac Myrick Constible of the town of Eastham Greeting
you are hereby Required In the Name of the Commonwelth of Massachusetts to Notify and worn all the Male Inhabitents of the said town of Eastham of twenty one years old and upwards having a freehold Estate within this Commonwelth of the annual Income of three pounds or any other Estate to the valy of Sixty Pounds to Meet at the Meeting house In Eastham on Monday the Second Day of April Next at four of the Clock In the afternoon to Given their vots for a Governer Lieutenant Governer and Senators agreable to the Constitution of this Commonwelth

Given under our hands and Seals at Eastham this twentieth Day of March A D 1798

Joseph Pepper } Select men of
Saml Freeman } Eastham

Agreable to the above worrent the Meeting was held at the time and place
and the the vots were Given In as follows
for a Governer Increas Sumner had 16 vots
for a Lieut Governer Moses Gill 14 vots
for a Senator Solomon Freeman had 17 vots

Records of A warrant for the Choosing of A Representative

To Isaac Myrick Constable of the town of Eastham you are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the inhabitants of said town Qualified to vote for a Representative to Meet at the Meeting house in said Eastham on Monday the fifth day of November next at three of the Clock in the afternoon to give in their votes for a Representative of the people of said Commonwealth in Congress of the united States for this district Given under our hands and Seals this tenth day of October 1798

Joseph Josselyn } Selectmen
Saml Freeman 2d } of Eastham

agreeable to the above warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and the votes was given in as follows for Lemuel Williams 13 votes

18 Record of a Meeting Requested

To Isaac Myrick Constable of the town of Eastham
Greeting
You are hereby Required In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the Inhabitants and other Inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town Meeting to attend and assemble att the Meeting house In Eastham on monday the twenty fourth Day of December Instant att two o Clock in the afternoon to see If the the town will alow the Requesters of this Meeting their perpotion of the money that Is Raised In this town for the use of the Schools or any other way the town Shall think fit with Regard to the Requesters
Given under our hands and Seals this 14 Day of December 1815

Joseph Pepper } Select men
Saml Freeman } of Eastham

Agreeable to the above warrant the Meeting was held at the time and place and It was voted that the Meeting Should be adjourned till the Next annual Meeting In march or april

Record of a townmeeting to vote for Repr for Congress

To [illegible] Myrick Constable of the town of Eastham you are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said town of Eastham duly qualified to vote for a Representative in general Court of said Commonwealth to assemble and meet at the Meetinghouse in said town on thursday the seventeenth Day of January instant at two o Clock in the afternoon to give in their vote for a Representative of the people of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the [illegible] District

Given under our hands and seals this 4 Day of January 1799

[illegible] } Select men
Saml Freeman }

Pursuant to the above worront

a legal Meeting was held at the time and place and the vote were given in Counted and sorted and it apeared that [illegible] [illegible] had 24 vote and Lamuel william 1 vote.

20 [illegible] Register

To Isaac Myrick Constable of Eastham greeting
you are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth
of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the freeholders
and other Inhabitants of said town Qualified by law to vote
in town meetings to meet and assemble at the
Meetinghouse In Eastham on Thursday the Seventeenth
Day of January Instant at three o Clock in the after
noon to act on the following article that is to see if
the town will Grant liberty to Seth Knowls and others
to Dig a Cannel from the herring pond into the great
Meadow Creek In order to let the herring into the pond
and the said Company to have the Bennefit of the same
or to act on the matter any other ways the town
shall think proper
Given under our hands and seals this tenth Day of
January A D 1779

Pursuant to the above warrant the meeting
was held in Eastham at the time and place
and it was then and there voted that Seth Knowls
and as many other of the Inhabitants of the town
of Eastham as shall Join with him they have liberty
to Dig a Cannel from the herring pond (so called)
upon the town's Land that lays between the aforesaid
pond and the great Meadow In order to let the
herring into the pond and that the said Knowls and
Company shall have the Bennefit arising therefrom
for the space of [illegible]
Provided they will build and Maintain a Sufficient
[illegible] any Damage [illegible] the aforesaid town [illegible]

R[illegible] of the assesment for the year 1798

We the assessors of the town of Eastham have assessed the polls and estates of said town of Eastham amounting to [illegible] and have committed a list to Isaac Myrick Constable for said town [illegible] [illegible] and forty three dollars [illegible] [illegible] to be paid agreeable to the vote of the assessors. August [illegible] day 1797

Dated Eastham [illegible] [illegible] day 1797

[illegible] Freeman }
Elisha Mayo } Assessors

Records of the annual Meeting March the 11th 1797

To Isaac Myrick Constable of the town of Eastham Greeting you are hereby Required in the Name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the freeholders and other Inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town meetings [illegible] as pay [illegible] tax besides the poll or polls a sum equal to two thirds of a single poll tax to meet and assemble at the Meeting house in Eastham on monday the Eleventh day of March [illegible] at ten o'Clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles first to Chuse all the Necessary town officers for the year ensuing as the law directs: also for the town to [illegible] a committee to view the [illegible] that lies between the [illegible] and the [illegible] [illegible] and to make such alterations as they shall think proper in regard of fencing or altering [illegible] of the same of the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] that the said committee [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] petition to the General Court if the town shall think fit at the [illegible]: also to see if the town vote as much money to the [illegible] [illegible] to [illegible] Schoolhouse in the [illegible] Schoolhouse [illegible]: also to see if the town will [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] where they shall

12 think proper also to see if the town will [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Vly To see if the town will Repair the Meeting house or a town or any other way they shall think proper also to see if will allow and accept [illegible] a premium be raised for by this town for the year 1797

Given under our hands and seals the first day of march 1797

Joseph Pepper } Select-men
Amos Hays
Samuel Freeman } of [illegible]

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of this town qualified as therein is to assemble & meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned

Isaac Myrick Constable

Agreeable to the above warrant a meeting was held at the time and place as is before Recorded and the officers then chosen as followes

Benjamin Clark Town Clerk

Joseph Pepper
Samuel Freeman } Select men
Myrick Gillings

David Brown
Stephen Hays } Assessors
Samuel Freeman

James Cole } Constable

Richard Edwards
Peter [illegible] } Surveyors of highways
[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] Surveyor of Boards and Shingles [illegible] of the foregoing Meeting Continued

Caleb Lumbard
[illegible] Cob
John [illegible]
} Fence viewers

William Gill } Tythingman

[illegible] [illegible] Sealer [illegible]

Samuel Cob
David [illegible]
} Hogreeves

Benjamin [illegible] } [illegible]

Joseph Cook
[illegible]
} Fielddrivours

[illegible]
[illegible]
Andrew Walker.
} [illegible]

voted alſo that

Benjamin [illegible] Samuel [illegible] and Benjamin Cl[illegible]
be a Committee Reſpecting the [illegible] that [illegible]
the Meetinghouſe - and Richard Attwoods

voted alſo that John [illegible] and John [illegible] be
Benjamin Clark be a committee Reſpecting the Meetinghouſe

voted alſo that Joseph [illegible] Constable [illegible] be [illegible]
for Collecting the town and County taxes in the year 17[illegible]

with Reſpect to that Clause Concerning [illegible] to the
North Deſtreet was not acted upon

With Reſpect of [illegible] and John [illegible] Request
the vote paſsd in the Negative

voted alſo that Deacon John [illegible] and [illegible]
be a committee to settle with the town treaſurer

13 voted alſo that the Selectmen [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

Records of the Annual Meeting Continued

At the Adjournment on the first day of April the Before Mentioned Committee Reported on the Report Respecting the Broken Land was [illegible] and the other adjourned till the 13 Day of the next May then Reported [illegible] that Benjamin Clark and John [illegible] and Saml Freeman Be a Committee to Draw a petition to send to the General Court Respecting the Broken Land Before Mentioned

Records of Meeting to Chuse a Governor &c

To [illegible] Constable of the town of [illegible] Greeting You are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn all the Male Inhabitants of said town qualified to vote to assemble at the Meeting house in [illegible] on Monday the first Day of April Next at [illegible] of the Clock in the afternoon to give in their votes for a governour Lieutenant Governour and Senators agreeable to the Constitution of this Commonwealth —
Given under our hands and Seals this twenty Second Day of March AD 1790

[illegible] } Selectmen
[illegible]
[illegible] Collins

The Meeting assembled at the time & place and the votes were as follows

[illegible] for Lieut Governour [illegible]
[illegible] 24 votes [illegible]

[illegible] for Meeting for a Represent[illegible] to Congress

To [illegible] Constable of the Town of [illegible]

You are hereby Required in the Name
of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to [illegible]
the inhabitants of said town [illegible]
[illegible] Representative [illegible]
[illegible] the first [illegible] next [illegible]
[illegible] to give in their votes for a Representative
of the people of this Commonwealth in the Congress of the
United States [illegible]
[illegible] under our hands [illegible] day of
[illegible]

[illegible] } Selectmen of [illegible]

[illegible]

Pursuant to [illegible] the Meeting [illegible]
the time and place and the votes were given [illegible]
for Samuel [illegible]
for [illegible]

26 Record of a warrant.

To James Cole Constable of the town of Eastham
you are hereby Required in the Name of the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn
the Inhabitants of the said town of Eastham Duly
Qualified to vote for a Representative in general Court
of said Commonwealth (viz) the Male Inhabitants
of said town being twenty one years of age and
having a freehold Estate within said town of the
annual income of three pounds or any other Estate to
the value of Sixty pounds, to assemble at the Meetinghouse
In Eastham on Thursday the twentyninth Day of August
instant at 4 o'Clock in the afternoon to give in their votes for
a Representative of the people of said Commonwealth
to the Congress of the united States for the first Southern
district. Given under our hands and seals this nineteenth
Day of August A D 1799

Joseph [illegible]
Richd Collings
Saml Freeman
Selectmen of Eastham

Assembled to the above warrant the Meeting was
held at the time and place —
Lemuel Williams had twenty four votes

To James Cole Constable of the town of Eastham you are hereby Required In the Name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the freeholders and other Inhabitants of said town Qualified by law to vote in town meetings viz: such as pay to one single tax Besides the pole or poles a sum Equal to two thirds of a single pole tax to Meet and assemble at the Meeting house in Eastham on thursday the twentyfourth Day of august Instant at three o Clock In the afternoon to act on the following articles viz — First to Raise Money for the Support of the Gospel and for the Support of a town or District School and also for the poor of said town and other Necessary Charges and also for the town to take into Consideration and See what they shall think best in Regard to the Support of Mary Tilton

Given under our hands in Eastham this Nineteenth Day of august A D 1797

Joseph [illegible]
Mich Collings
Saml Freeman
} Select Men of Eastham

agreeable to the above warrant the Meeting was held at the time and place - and Dr John Doane David Brown and Saml Freeman was Chose a Committee to nominate a Sum to Raise.

Voted that Eight hundred Dollars should be Raised of which Sum one hundred and twenty Dollars should be for the Support of Schools

voted also that the Money for the School be Divided In halfs to Each District and for Each District to hire their own Schoolmaster

voted also that Mary Tilton be Returned to Joseph Linkernew

Record of the annual Meeting March ye 4th 1800

[illegible] Constable [illegible] Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth [illegible] Massachusetts [illegible] the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town meetings viz [illegible] to assemble at the meeting house in [illegible] on Tuesday the fourth day of March next at [illegible] of the clock [illegible] to act on the following articles

1 to Choose all the necessary town officers

2ly [illegible] the town [illegible] the Great [illegible] [illegible] town shall think proper

3ly to see if the town will [illegible] for the year 1800

4ly to see if the town will [illegible] to build [illegible] Schooling and Schoolhouse as they shall think proper [illegible] Dividing School or Schools

Given under our hands and seals [illegible]

[illegible]
Mich Collings } Selectmen
Saml Freeman } of Easth

Pursuant to the above warrant I have Notified the town to meet at the time and place [illegible]

Agreable to the foregoing warrant the Meeting was held at the time and place and the officers Elected were as follows

[illegible] Clark town Clerk and town treasurer

Joseph Pepper
Richard Collings } Select men
Isaac Freeman

Samuel Freeman
Elisha Mayo } assessors
Samuel Doane

Elkanah Cobb Constable

Simeon Doane
Samuel Freeman } Surveyors of highways
Isaac Snow

Theophilus Knowles
Surveyor of Boards and [illegible]

Hezekiah atwood
Thomas Cobb } fence viewers
Joseph Lane

Joseph Collings } tithingmen
James Doane

Solomon Doane Sealer of leather

Peter Walker } Hogreefs
Hezekiah atwood

Benjamin Knowles pound keeper

Elkanah Higgins } field drivers
William Knowles

John Doane
James atwood } [illegible]
Jared Knowles

At the Agornment of the Meeting to the first monday in april 17[illegible] it was voted that Elkanah Cobb Should be Cleared from being Constable for that year and Caleb [illegible] was Chosen in his room

Voted that the money of the [illegible] [illegible] mentioned in the [illegible] be [illegible] by John and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to be [illegible] the Directions of the select men of Eastham with Respect of furnishing [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] his [illegible]

voted not to act on the [illegible] respecting the [illegible]

voted the Meeting be ajorned to the following Monday

at the ajornment John Doane [illegible] [illegible] were chosen a Committee to settle with the town Treasurer [illegible] [illegible] to the first monday in april [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] the Meeting [illegible] to the first monday [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

20 Record of a meeting to Chuse a Governor Lieut Governor Senators &
To James Cole Constable of the town of Eastham greeting
You are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth
of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the inhabitants of the
said town of Eastham of twenty one years old and upwards
having a freehold Estate within the Commonwealth of the annual
income of three pounds or any other Estate to the value of
sixty pounds to meet at the meeting house in Eastham on monday
the fourth day of April next at three a Clock in the afternoon
to give their votes for a governor Lieutenant Governor & Senators
agreeable to the Constitution of this Commonwealth
Given under our hands and seals at Eastham the 17 day of
March A D [illegible]

Joseph [illegible] } Selectmen of Eastham
Saml Freeman }

Pursuant to the above warrant the Meeting was held at
the time and place and [illegible]
Governor and moses Gill 40 votes Lieut Governor and
John Dillingham [illegible] vote } for a Senator
Solomon Freeman [illegible] votes }

Warrant for a meeting respecting the petition of [illegible]
[illegible] Smith and Timothy Smith and Ephraim [illegible]
of Eastham

To James Cole Constable of the town of Eastham greeting
You are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth of
Massachusetts to notify the freeholders and other inhabitants of
said town qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet and
assemble at the meetinghouse in Eastham on monday the fourth
day of April next at [illegible] a Clock in the afternoon to act on
the following articles
1st for the town to take into Consideration and see what they
think best in regard of the petition that sent to the general
Court the last session by Isaac [illegible] and Timothy Smith
and Ephraim [illegible] of Eastham
2ly to see if the town will vote to impound neat Cattle
that run at large in said town not including the Common fields
in the [illegible] there
Given under our hands and seals this 17 day of march A D [illegible]

Joseph [illegible] } Selectmen of Eastham
Saml Freeman }

Persuant to the foregoing warrant the Meeting was held at the time and place and a vote was pass'd that Benjamin Clark Joseph Pepper Sam^l Freeman John Doane and Elisha Mayo be a Committee to draw a Remonstrance against the fore mentioned petition
~~voted also that~~ voted also that Neat Cattle may be Impounded for one year next ensuing agreeable to what is Inserted in the Warrant voted also the Meeting be adjourned to the first Monday in May 1800 at which adjournment it was voted that the Remonstrance should be left to the discretion of the Committee.

Record of a warrant for meeting to chuse a Representative

To the [illegible] Constable or Constables of [illegible] Greeting
you are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the male inhabitants of said town being 21 years of age and Resident in said town for the space of one year next preceding having a freehold estate within said town of the annual income of three pounds or any estate to the value of Sixty pounds to meet at the [illegible] meeting house on [illegible] the [illegible] day of May next at three of the clock in the afternoon to [illegible] in choosing a Representative to Represent them in the general Court to be Convened and held at Boston on the last Wednesday of May next
Given under our hands and seals at said [illegible] this [illegible] day of [illegible] A.D. 1800

Joseph Pepper
Nich^l Collings } Selectmen of [illegible]
Sam^l Freeman

[illegible] to the [illegible] warrant the [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] Elisha Mayo [illegible] Chosen [illegible]

83 Records of a meeting August ye 19th 1782

To [illegible] Knowles Constable of the town of Eastham Greeting

You are hereby Required in the name of the Common wealth of the Massachusetts to Notify and warn the free holders and other inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet and assemble at the meetinghouse in Eastham on Monday the Nineteenth Day of this instant August at three o'Clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles viz,

to take into Consideration and to what the town shall think best in Regard to Raising money for the support of the gospel and the support of the poor of said town and also for all other Contingent Charges that may arise in said town

given under our hands and Seals this 9 Day of august A D 1782

Saml Freeman
Joseph Doane
Michael Collings
} Select men of Eastham

Agreeable to the above warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and the votes were as follows

1 Voted [illegible] Dollars be raised for the support of the gospel and poor and other necessary Charges exclusive of Schools

Voted also that the meeting be adjourned till the [illegible] Monday in September

Voted also that the select men should settle with the town Treasurer

Records of the Returns of the assessors Dec 11

To Benjamin Clark treasurer of the town of Eastham or his successor in that office agreeable to a vote last august meeting we have assessed the polls and estates of the inhabitants of said Eastham the sum of seven hundred and [illegible] four Dollars and twenty two Cents and have delivered the bills to the same Collector for said town to Collect and [illegible] in due form of law

Dat Eastham December ye 5th A.D. 1799

Elishamayo
Saml Freeman } Assessors of Eastham

Records of a town meeting on monday [illegible]

To the Constable of the town of Eastham greeting

These are to Notify you in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to warn the inhabitants of said town that are qualified by law to vote in town Meetings to meet and assemble at the Meeting house in Eastham on monday the twentyninth Day of Sept instant at three o'Clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles

1st to make such alteration with Regard to Town or District schools as the town shall think proper and in Raising money for the support of said schools

2 to see if the town will take into Consideration and [illegible] what they think propper for the Doctors attending [illegible] when sick at [illegible]

Given under our hands and seals this 20 Day of Sept 1800

Joseph Pepper
Michael Collins } Selectmen
[illegible] Freeman } of Eastham

Agreable to the foregoing warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and the votes were as followes first that the two school District be Devided into three and that the town shall provide A house for the additionale District and that a Committee be chose to Divide the Districts

Voted also that Caleb Lambert Seth knowles and William Higgens should be a Committee

Voted also that 125 Dollars should be raised for the support of the schools the present year

Voted also that meeting be ajorned to the second monday In october to hear the report of the Committee

Voted also that the town should pay for polly Atkens sickness at mr [illegible]

At the above mentioned adjournment on the second Monday In october the Report of the Committee was Excepted which is as followes

Northwest schoolline runs Begining at the south of Capt Joseph Collings [illegible] runs east to the main road Runing to the south of Andrew walkers house takeing in the widow Phebe higgenses house from thence to the widow Lydia Ryders takeing her house on the west to the street from thence to [illegible] takeing all [illegible] in the North [illegible]

South District runs from the great pond to the south side of Patrick Nickersons house to the north side of John [illegible] house from thence to the widow knowleses windmil to the Salt pond

East School District line Runs By the lines of the south and Northwest Districts

Voted also that families viz Elisha mayo Capt heman Smith [illegible] [illegible] maye william walker [illegible] Smith may go to which School they please

[illegible] they are to go to no more than one school

Caleb Lambert
John [illegible]
[illegible]
} Committee

Returns of the town meeting on Monday 3 day of Nov 1800

To Caleb Lombard Constable of the town of Eastham
You are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth
of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the inhabitants
of said town of Eastham Qualified to vote for a
Representative in the General Court of said Commonwealth
to assemble at the Meeting house in said Eastham
on monday the third day of November next at three a
Clock in the afternoon to give in their votes for a
Representative of the people of said Commonwealth in the
Congress of the united States for the first South District
given under our hands and seals this 27 day of Octr 1800

Saml Freeman
Joseph pepper } Select men of Eastham
Richard Collings

The above Meeting was held at the time and place
and Samuel williams Esq had Eighteen votes

Records of a Town Meeting [illegible]

To [illegible] Constable of the town of [illegible]

Greeting

You are Required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify & warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet and assemble at the Meetinghouse in [illegible] on monday the twentysixth day of [illegible] instant at ten o Clock to act on the following articles viz 1st to choose a Moderator [illegible] the affairs of the town that shall be thought necessary

2ly to see if the town will make an agreement with the owners of the [illegible] to keep a Canall open from the great pond to the Bay in order for the herring fish to Come in & the town to take such measures as they shall think proper in regard to said fishery by the Consent of the proprietors

3ly to take into Consideration and the town to see what they shall think proper in regard of allowing Mr Joshua Smith and Ephraim [illegible] having their proportionable part of the school money [illegible] that is raised in said town for the [illegible] of the schools

4ly for the town to take into Consideration what they shall think fit in Regard of building a schoolhouse in said town.

Given under our hands and seals this [illegible] day of [illegible] A D 17[illegible]

Joseph [illegible]
Saml Freeman
Richard [illegible]

Select men of [illegible]

to Agreeable to the foregoing warrant the Meeting was held at the time and place — and the votes were as follows
first the Town Refused to Supply their Town Treasurer with Money to procure a Standard of weights and measures
voted that the Town Should Chuse a Committee to procure the Town Standard of weights and measures and report at the adjournment which is to be in the afternoon.
voted that Samuel Freeman } be a Committee to procure as aforesaid
and John Reynolds

voted to Chuse a Committee to agree with the proprietors of the [illegible] Cliff field Respecting the herring Brook
voted that
John Smith Solomon Loane [illegible] [illegible] John Knowles and Elkanah Cobb be the Committee and to report at next meeting
voted that Samuel Freeman Esqr. Major [illegible] and John Knowles be a Committee to agree with Isaac and Joshua Smith and Ephraim [illegible] Respecting their Schooling and to Report at next meeting
voted that the vote respecting the Schooling be adjourned till the next meeting

at the afternoon adjournment the vote was as follows viz. Respecting the herring brook above mentioned the Committees Report was Excepted and a Committee of three men was Chosen to Represent the Town viz Benjamin Clark Josiah Collings & [illegible] Freeman

The above said Committee Respecting Isaac and Joshua Smith and Ephraim [illegible] Schooling Report as follows
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] Isaac Smith and Joshua Smith [illegible]
to hear their Request of [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] according to our appointment [illegible]
and they refused to [illegible] they [illegible]
account for all the Schooling they are [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
John Kno

[illegible] the Town of Eastham [illegible] the
Petition of the foresaid Smiths should Leave their Bussiness
Respecting their Cod-fishery [illegible] to the Clause
[illegible]
[illegible] their petition from the General Court
[illegible]
Committee on the part of the town.
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible]
To [illegible] Constable of the Town of
Eastham Greeting
You are hereby Required in the name of the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify the
the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town
Qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet
and Assemble at the meetinghouse in Eastham on
Monday the [illegible] day of March next at [illegible] of the clock
in the forenoon to act on the following articles
1ly to Chuse all the Necessary town officers
for the year Ensuing
2ly to see if the town [illegible] that the [illegible]
[illegible] shall be under the same
Regulation that [illegible] the [illegible] part of the town shall
[illegible]
3ly to see if the town will [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Given under our hands and Seals this nineteenth Day
of February [illegible]
Samuel Collings } Selectmen
Nathl Freeman } of Eastham

Agreeable to the foregoing warrant the inhabitants
[illegible] at the town house [illegible] and the officers Chosen
were as follows

Benjamin Clark town Clerk and Treasurer

Saml Freeman Jonas Cole Saml Smith Selectmen

Saml Freeman [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Assessors

Elkanah Cobb Constable

Jeremiah Atkins Richard Atkins Surveyors of highways

John Dean David Higgins fence viewers

Joshua Higgins Ebenezer Paine Tythingmen

[illegible] [illegible] Cullers

Philip Smith John Smith hogreefs

[illegible] [illegible] Surveyors of Boards & Shingles

Benjamin Smith poundkeeper

William Myrick John [illegible] [illegible]

James Atkins Elkanah Higgins Solomon Doane Committee [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] concerning Deacon Doans
[illegible] shall be under the same Regulations as in the
year past

[illegible]

a Committee was Chosen to Divide the Town in to three
School Districts and their Report was not excepted

Records of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] February [illegible] Day [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the town [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] according to law

Joseph Pepper } Selectmen
Saml Freeman } of Eastham
Richael Collings }

[illegible] Hatch } [illegible]
John [illegible] }
[illegible] Higgins } [illegible]

Records of Town meeting on the [illegible] day of April 1781

To [illegible] Constable of the town of Eastham
Greeting
you are Required in the name of the Commonwelth
of Massachusetts to notify and warn the freeholders and
other inhabitants of said town qualified by law to vote
in town meetings viz such as pay to one single tax besides
the poll or polls a sum equal to two thirds of a single
poll tax to meet and assemble at the meetinghouse
in Eastham on monday ye [illegible] day of April instant at two a
clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles
1st to Raise money for the support of the gospel
2ly to Rais money for the support of the poor [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] February
given under our hands at Eastham [illegible] day of [illegible] 1781

Saml Freman } Selectmen of
James Cole } Eastham

Agreeable to the foregoing warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and the town voted that seven hundred and fifty Dollars should be Raised viz 120 Dollars for the school and 630 Dollars for other Charges

Voted also that 1/3 of the tax be paid in to the Town treasurer by the [illegible] Day of January 1802. and 1/3 the may following and the Remainder By the last Day of December 1802.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Record of a Meeting of the male
inhabitants of the town of Eastham on the
first monday in May 1801 to Chuse a Represent
for the Great and General Court [illegible]
[illegible] freemen was Chosen

Record of a town meeting in June [illegible]

To Thomas Cole Constable of the town of
Eastham: you are hereby required in the name of
the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and
[illegible] the [illegible] inhabitants of said town
qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet
and assemble at the meeting house in Eastham on
[illegible] the [illegible] day of this present June at 4 o'clock
in the afternoon to act on the following articles
To take into Consideration and to act as they shall
think best in Regard to the support of Thankfull
Higgins now sick in Boston or do any other way in
Regard to said Thankfull the town shall think fitt
or any other way that the town shall think necessary
Given under our hands and seals this 18 day of June 1801
Saml Freeman } Select men
Saml Smith } of Eastham

Agreable to the above warrant the meeting was
was held at the time and place and the town
voted that the Select men should be impowered
to imploy any person or persons they shall think
proper to inquire [illegible] or do any way that
may be found [illegible] Respecting the said
Thankfull

Record of [illegible] to Chuse one assessor &c

To Elkanah Cobb Constable [illegible]

you are Hereby Required in the name of the Common wealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town Qualified by law to vote in town meetings viz such as pay one single tax besides poll or polls a sum equal to two thirds of a pole tax to assemble at the meeting house in Eastham on monday the sixth day of July next at 4 a clock in the afternoon to Chuse one assessor in the room of Barnabas atwood Deceased given under our hands and seals this [illegible]

Sam^l Freeman } Select men
Sam^l Smith } of Eastham

Agreable to the above warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and Elisha mayo [illegible] was Chosen an assessor

Request to the Select men
Eastham october the 13th [illegible]

To the Gentlemen Selectmen of the town of Eastham
Sirs we the Subscribers Desire you to Call a townmeeting to take into Consideration what is best to be done in Providing a house for the widow Betty Doane of Eastham that was burnt out of house and home last Spring

[illegible]
[illegible] Doane
[illegible]
Elkanah Cobb
[illegible] Doane
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

4th To Elkanah Cobb Constable of the Town of Eastham Greeting

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts You are Required to Notify and warn the inhabitants [illegible] of Eastham Qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet and assemble at the meeting house in Eastham on Tuesday the [illegible] day of this instant October at 3 o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles viz To take into consideration and see what the town will do in Regard to [illegible] Betty [illegible] or to any [illegible] the town shall think best [illegible] the town to choose a Committee to settle accounts with the town treasurer of the town as they shall think proper

Given under our hands this 14 day of October 1801

Saml Freeman }
Saml Smith } Selectmen

Pursuant to the above warrant the Meeting was held at the time and place and Benjamin Knowles was chosen Clerk for the day in the absence of the town clerk [illegible] then [illegible] a house built by the town for the aforesaid Betty Doane 17 feet one way & 16 the other [illegible] chose a Committee of 3 men to appoint a place to set it up.

Capt Elkanah Cobb }
Mr James Cobb } Committee
Capt Theophilus Knowles }

To Elisha [illegible] Coll[illegible] [illegible] of [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] Greeting
You are hereby Required in the name of the
Commonwealth of [illegible] to Notify and
call the free[holders] [illegible] [illegible]
in [illegible] to [illegible] in the meeting [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] the meetinghouse in said Easthampton
on wednesday the 4 day of November next at 1 o'clo
in the afternoon to act on the following articles
1st [illegible] if the town will vote a sum of money
sufficient to Build a house for the widow Betty [illegible]
or to procure a spot of land to set the house on
given under our hands this 27 Day of October [illegible]
[illegible]
Samuel Smith Select[men]

Agreeable to the above warrant the meeting was
held at the time and place and [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]

To Deacon Heaman one of the freeholders of
The town of Easthampton Greeting
You are hereby Required in the name of the Common
wealth of Massachusetts to Notify the freeholders and
and other inhabitants of said town Qualified to vote
in town meetings to meet at the meetinghouse in
Easthampton on thursday the third day of December next
at two o Clock in the afternoon to act on the following
Articles viz to see if the town of Easthampton will
Pay the demands of the town of Boston for the Support
of [illegible] Hageman or Chuse an agent or
Agents to act in behalf of said town or [illegible] the [illegible]
to do any other way they shall think proper on acount
of the demand made by the town of Boston against the
town of Easthampton for the support of the above mentioned
Hageman given [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] this 11 day of
Nov 1790 [illegible] [illegible]

48 Agreable to the foregoing warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and Samuel freeman and Elisha mayo and David Brown And Benj. Clark and Heman Smith was Chosen a Committee in behalf of the town

Record of the Assessment of the town tax 1801 by the assessors of the town of Eastham agreable to a vote of said town we to assess the polls and Estates of said town as by law directed and we have Committed the Bills with a warrant in due form of law to Mr [illegible] [illegible] Constable of said town the sum of Seven hundred and fifty two Dollars and twenty five Cents to be paid in to Benjamin Clark Town treasurer or his successor in that office agreable to a vote of said town

Samuel freeman } Assessors
Elisha Mayo } of Eastham

[illegible]

To Elisha Cobb Constable of the town of Eastham

Greeting.

you are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth
of Massachusetts to notify [illegible]
the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town
Meetings viz such as pay to one single Tax besides
the poll or poles a sum equal to two thirds of a single
poll tax to meet and assemble at the meetinghouse in
Eastham on tuesday the second day of march next at
ten o Clock [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] to take into consideration [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] to take into consideration [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] in Eastham [illegible]
[illegible] the town [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] under the same
Regulations as the town [illegible]
Given under our hands and Seals this 16th day of february
in the year of our Lord 1801

Samuel Freeman
Town Clerk [illegible] of Eastham

Agreable to the [illegible] the [illegible]
[illegible] place and the following persons [illegible]
Chosen in to town offices

[illegible] of the town [illegible] for the year [illegible]

Benjamin Clark town Clerk and treasurer

Samuel freeman James Cole Samuel Smith

Select men.

Samuel Freeman David Brown Elisha mayo

Assessors

Joseph Collins Constable

John Knowles Caleb Cook Surveyors of highways

Theophilus [illegible] Surveyors of Boards and Shingles

Elisha mayo Peter walker tythingmen

William Smith [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Knowles Joseph Linkhorne hogreeves

Benjamin Knowles pound keeper

Solomon Doane Leather Sealer

James atwood Elkanah higgens Andrew walker

Negative men

Voted that the meeting house should be Repaired voted to chuse a Committee of 3 men Elisha Mayo Benjamin Knowles & Benjamin Clark to Consider what may be necessary [illegible] to be Repaired [illegible] to [illegible] Committee [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] that Benjamin Clark [illegible] Joseph Collins be the Committee [illegible] that the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Reflecktions as it has been the year past voted also that the Meeting be [illegible] till the 16 day of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] the meeting house [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Voted also to Chuse a Committee [illegible] for Repairing the Meeting house [illegible] Chose [illegible]

Committee { Benjan Clark
Daniel [illegible]

Voted also that the Committee Shall have full power to [illegible] the Repairing the meeting house in behalf of the Town

Voted also to raise Thirty dollars [illegible] the charges [illegible]

Voted that the Meeting be adjourned till April Meeting on a Count of the Constable [illegible] Chosen at april Meeting [illegible]

Obadiah Higgins Junr Chosen Constable [illegible] meeting

Ajorned to the 18 Day of may 1808.

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50 Record of ye town Meeting April ye 5th 1802.

To [illegible] [illegible] Constable of the town of [illegible] greet
you are Required in the name of the commonwealth of
Massachusetts to notify and warn the [illegible] [illegible] the
Inhabitants of said town Quallifyed By Law to vote in
town Meetings to meet and assemble at the meetinghouse
in [illegible] on Monday the fifth Day of April next
at two O Clock in the afternoon to act on the following
articles first to chuse the moderator [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] to see what way the town will take to raise money
for the ensuing year for the support of the ministry
[illegible] and all other necessary Charges
Given under our hands and seals this 24 Day of March [illegible]

Samuel Smith } Selectmen
James Cole }

Agreable to the above warrant the meeting was [illegible] at
the time and place [illegible] [illegible] succeeding vote at march meeting
was again renewed that the meeting [illegible]
[illegible] voted also that [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] in paying the town Charges of the
infuing year

[illegible]
[illegible] and [illegible] Constable [illegible]

[illegible] hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth
[illegible] Massachusetts to Notify [illegible] the inhabitants
of said town of twentyone years old and upward having a
freehold Estate within this Commonwealth of the annual
Income of three pounds or any other estate to the value of
Sixty pound to meet at the meetinghouse in [illegible] on monday
the sixth Day of april next at three a Clock in the afternoon
to give in their votes for a Governor Lieu^t Governor Senators
and [illegible] agreeable to the Constitution of said Commonwealth
Given under our hands and seals this 24 Day of march 1801.

Sam^l Smith }
James Cole } Selectmen

the Meeting was held at the time and place and the votes [illegible]
[illegible] as follows

Governor
for his Excellency Caleb Strong 6 votes
for the Hon^r Elbridge Gerry 23 votes

Lieu^t Governor
for Edward H Robbins 9 votes
William Heath 16 votes

Senators
for John Dillingham 31 votes
Richard Sears Esq 4 votes

Record of town Meetings

To Elkanah Constable of the town of Easthm you are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town Qualified to vote in town meetings viz such as Pay to one single tax besides pole or poles a sum Equal to two thirds of a single pole tax to meet and assemble at the Meetinghouse in Easthm on Monday the first Day of November next at two o Clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles viz first for the town to authorize the present Committee to sell all the pews that belong to the town that they see fit to dispose of and also for the town to authorise the above mentioned Committee to give Conveyances of the above mentioned pews in behalf of the town when sold and also for the town to appoint a time to sell the pews at publick vendue or any other way or leave the matter with the above mentioned Committee to appoint a time and place for the sale of the same

Given under our hands ~~this~~ and seals this 19th of october A D 1802. Saml Freeman
James Cole
Saml Smith } Select men of Easthm

Agreable to the above warrant the above named inhabitants met at the time and place and voted as follows first that the Committee or the major part of them shall have full power to sell and Convey the towns pews in behalf of the town voted also that the pews shall be sold at publick vendue voted also that the vendue for seling the pews shall be on monday ye 6 day of December 1802 voted also that two men shall be added to the above Committee to defer the sale of the pews if the Committee think it Necessary

voted also that Theophilus Knowles
and James Clark shall be the additionnal Committ
voted also the purchaser of the pews shall
Pay one half Down at the sale of the pews
and the other half with in 12 months with
intrest till paid

Records of town meetings

To Elkanah Higgins Co. Constable of the Town of Eaſtham: you are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth of Maſsechusetts to notify and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town Quallified By Law to vote in town meetings to meet and aſsamble at the meetinghouſe in Eaſtham on monday ye twenty seventh Day of December inſtant at one a Clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles

first to Examine and settle with the Committee viz their Acounts for Repairing the meetinghouſe and Conveying the pews to the purchasers

And alſo for the town to pass a vote to inlarge the grave yard and fence in a peace of land the west side of the meetinghouſe in order to set out ornament trees if the town shall think Neſsary

Given under our Hand and Seals this 14 Day of Decr 1802

Saml Freeman Selectmen
Saml Smith Jr of Eaſtham

Agreable to the above warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and the vote was as follows to Chuse a Committee of three men to settle with the Committee above mentioned voted that David Brown Hezekiah Atwood and Heman Doane Be a Committee : voted alſo to inlarge the grave yard and to Chuse a Committee to procure ground and fence and inlarge the grave yard as they shall See Best voted John Knowles Benjamin Knowles and Joseph Clark Be a Committee voted alſo to fence a peace of land for Trees and that the above Committee Should [illegible] the ground [illegible]

To Elkanah Higgins Constable of Eaſtham you are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth of Maſsachuſetts to Notify and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town Quallified to vote in town meetings to meet and aſsemble at the meetinghouſe in Eaſtham on monday the twenty seventh Day of December instant at two a Clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles viz to see if the town will set off Theophilus Knowles and Joseph Smith and eight others which will be seen in the Request for said meeting from the other two and alow them their part of the school mony that is Raised in town this year and alſo for the town to make such alterations in the two old Deſtricts in said town as they shall think Neceſsary

Given under our hands and seals the 14th of December 1808

Saml freeman } Selectmen of
Saml Smith } Eaſtham

Agreable to the above warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and the votes were as follows first that the Requests shall Draw their part of the School money according to the famalies that is set of from Each Deſtrict this year voted alſo that a Committee be Chosen to set off their part of the money voted ~~that~~ Joseph Smith Saml freeman and David Brown be a Committee

To Henry Higgins Constable of the Town of Eastham
You are hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth
of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the inhabitants of said
town of Eastham duly qualified to vote for a Representative
to the General Court of said Commonwealth viz the male
inhabitants of said town being twenty one years of age
& resident in said town for the space of one year next
preceding having a freehold estate within said town of the annual
income of three pounds or any other estate to the value of two
hundred dollars to assemble at the meeting house in said town
on monday the first day of November next being the first
monday in said month at three o'clock in the afternoon to give
in their votes for a Representative of the people of this Commonwealth
in the Congress of the United States for the district of Barnstable
Given under our hands and seals this 19 Day of October 1802

Saml Freeman
[illegible] Cole
Saml Smith
} Selectmen of Eastham

Agreeable to the above warrant the Meeting was held at
the time and place and the votes were as follows
Samuel Williams Esq 9 votes for Isaiah Green Esqr

To Elkanah Higgins Constable of the town of Eastham
You are hereby Required in the Name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the freeholders and other inhabitants of said town Qualified by law to vote in town Meetings Viz Such as pay to one single tax be sides poll or [illegible] a sum Equal to two thirds of a single poll tax to meet and Assemble at the meetinghouse in Eastham on tuesday the eighth day of March Next at ten of clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles

1ly to Chuse all the necessary town officers as the law directs

2ly to pass a vote to take up and impound all Neat Cattle and horses that Run at large in said town and impound them if the town Shall think it expedient

3ly also for the town to Chuse a man to prevent our horses from feeding on the meadow flats and likewise to take up and impound all horses that belong out of town that are found feeding on our flats or for the town to act any other way the town Shall think it Consistant in regard to the same.

4ly to take into Consideration and do what the town shall think proper in regard to purchasing a large bible and a [illegible] for the town

5ly for the town to purchase a pair of [illegible] for the use of the company in said town if the town Shall think it Nessesary Given under our hands and Seals this [illegible] Day of February 179[illegible]

Samuel Freeman } Select men
James Cole } of Eastham
Samuel Smith

Agreeable to the above warrant the meeting was held at the time and place and the votes as follows
Benjamin Clark town Clerk and town treasurer
Samuel Freeman Samuel Smith and James Cole Select men
Samuel Freeman David [illegible] and Ebenezer [illegible] Assessors
Eleazer Smith Constable John [illegible] and John Smith
Surveyors of highways Daniel Cole & John Knowles [illegible]
Nathaniel Cole James Mayo Jr [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] Knowles Jr [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
Theophilus [illegible] [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] Eastham
[illegible] Eastham
[illegible] was Chosen [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Agreable to the Second Claus in the foregoing warrant
[illegible] voted [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] a Committee to Go to [illegible] to agree abot
[illegible] voted that a Committee be Chosen [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] mentioned in the warrant
Voted that [illegible] and [illegible]
Be the Committee.
[illegible] dollars [illegible]
pew Belonging to Isaac Smith and other
[illegible] Committee on Esq Mayo Request for an alowance
[illegible]
[illegible] the Committee [illegible]
Which report was voted
[illegible]
at [illegible] o Clock in the afternoon

[illegible] voted that [illegible]
[illegible] dollars to buy [illegible] for the [illegible]
[illegible] to buy [illegible] for the Company [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] the [illegible] meeting [illegible]

Ajourned to a Meeting in Eastham on the 18 day of December 1800. and ajorned till the annual meeting in March ye 6th 1801 for the Committee to Report that was Chosen at the forementioned Meeting to settle with the Committee that Repaired the Meetinghouse. at the foresaid ajornment they Reported as followes

We the Subscribers Chosen by town of Eastham to settle with the Committee apointed by the town of Eastham ~~to~~ for Repairing the Meetinghouse in Eastham have attended in the business so far as to Examine their bills and do approve of them and do find the balance due to the town to be [illegible] excepted $ 482 - 69

the bills as followes Benja Clarks bill	1304 - 41
Esqr Mayo	52 - 99
Samuel Freemans bill	3 - [illegible]
Whole Charge	1361 - [illegible]
the pews sold for	2010 - 00
	[illegible]
Rec.d [illegible] at the Meetinghouse	[illegible]
	[illegible]
paid to [illegible] Smith and other for damage	1 - [illegible]
and a mistake in Benja Clarks bill	1 - [illegible]
	11 - [illegible]
Subtracted from the 482 - 69	
leaves a ballance due to the town of	471 - 38
and the town voted to give Esqr Mayo	4 - 00
Due to the town	467 - 38

David Brown
Hezekiah Atwood } Committee
Heman Doane

[illegible] By [illegible] [illegible]

of [illegible]fithiam [illegible] Spelling

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

qualified by law to vote in town meetings to meet in

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Monday the fourth day of April next

to Raise [illegible] money [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] for the [illegible] of the year [illegible] [illegible]

and all other Contingent Charges

Given under our hands and Seals this 23 day of March [illegible]

Samuel Bowman
Samuel Smith
James Cole
Selectmen

[illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] aforementioned sum

viz one hundred and fifty for Schools and the remainder

for other Charges

[illegible]

[illegible] to meet at the meeting house in Eastham on [illegible]

[illegible] o'clock in the afternoon to give in their votes for a Governor [illegible]

[illegible] agreeable to the Constitution of said Commonwealth.

Given under our hands and seals this 3d of [illegible]

Saml Freeman }
Saml Smith } Selectmen
James Cole } of Eastham

Agreable to the vote of the town at their
[illegible] meeting in april last we the [illegible] assessors
of said town have assesed the pools and Estates in said
agreable to law and have committed a list thereof
to Joseph Collins Constable of said town with a warrant
in due form of law for Collecting and paying in to Benjamin
[illegible] town treasurer or his successor in office the sum of
five hundred and forty five dollars and ninety [illegible]
on or before the [illegible] day of December A.D 1804
in witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands
at Eastham this 11 Day of Decm 1803

Saml Freeman }
Ebenezer Pain } Assessors

[illegible] in name of the [illegible]
[illegible] freeholders and other inhabitants
of town qualified to vote in town meetings to meet and
[illegible] at the meetinghouse in said Eastham on monday
[illegible] of February next at two o Clock in the afternoon
following Articles viz

[illegible] town will give liberty to any number of men to
[illegible] as an incorporated body to make a Cannall
of the Boatmeadow River up said river into the
[illegible] further [illegible] expense from the town
the matter or any other [illegible] the town shall think
advantageous to said town
for the town to make such alterations as they think
[illegible] to said town in regard to making said [illegible]
[illegible] Called haven to pass and repass from the great [illegible]
Given under our hands and Seal [illegible]
[illegible] 4

Saml Freeman
Saml Smith } Selectmen

[illegible] to the above warrant the inhabitants met [illegible]
[illegible] place and the votes were as follows
to Choose a Committee to [illegible] plan [illegible]

[illegible] Committee both Jointly [illegible]
[illegible] to act upon the [illegible] in Choosing a
to Join in Co. with [illegible] Committy [illegible]
to [illegible] in order to view the premises
to petition the General Court [illegible]

[illegible] or any other way than [illegible]
[illegible] without any real Cost to the
[illegible] a Committee of five men [illegible]
Voted

Approved by a vote of the town of Eastham
in the [illegible] day of March 1811

Eastham 1811
We the subscribers selectmen of the town of
Eastham have together with the selectmen
of the town of Wellfleet perambulated the
line between the two towns aforesaid and
find said line to run as follows
viz beginning at a stone at the head of
Indian brook thence running westerly by
sd brook into Billingsgate bay and from
the aforesaid stone East in to the atlantic
Ocean —

Samuel Freeman

John [illegible]

Selectmen Eastham

Eastham July 8th 1741

[illegible] Selectmen of the town of Eastham
[illegible] we [illegible] [illegible]
relating the line between said towns as the same [illegible]
[illegible] agree and report as follows —
viz: Beginning at the mouth of [illegible] river the
up the middle of the river to the mouth of rock harbour
road thence South Easterly by the Northerly side of ye
[illegible] to the Southwest corner bound of the parsonage
land thence Northerly in the westerly range of sd land
[illegible] till it comes to the range of Joshua Smiths and
Isaac Smiths land thence [illegible] in the range
between said Isaac & Joshua land and Josiah and
Elisha Smiths land to the boat meadow thence in
[illegible] into the middle of the river thence up sd river
to its head thence South [illegible] to the Northeasterly
corner of Josiah & Elisha Smiths land thence Southerly
in sd Smiths range to the bound between said Smiths
land and Williams Myricks land at Rock harbour [illegible]
thence in the same direction across the rode rivers [illegible]
and swamp to a stake in Silvanus Smiths mowing
ground thence East by South to [illegible] [illegible]
called thence along ye gutter into the middle of the town
thence down the centre of sd cove to Stone Island
so called thence East South East in to the

[illegible] [illegible] Amos Freeman — { [illegible]
John Doane { [illegible] for Eastham

Richard Sparrow
Gideon Snow { [illegible] [illegible]

At a Legal Annual Meeting in Eastham
March the 2d 1804
[illegible] as follows
Heman Doane Town Clerk and
Treasurer Samuel Freeman
Samuel Smith James Cole
Select Men Samuel Freeman
assessors David Brown Ebenezar Paine
Assessors

At the Ajournment of the annual
Meeting March 13th Chose Seth Knowles
Constable

John Doane
John Knowles
Surveyors of
Highways

Eqn Mayo
Timothy Cole
Surveyors of
Lumber

Joshua Higgins
Seth Knowles
fenceviewers

Nathan Kinney
Benj Knowles
Tythingmen

Joseph Linkorn
Joseph Snow
field Drivers

Simeon Doane
hogreaf

Benjn Knowles
poundkeeper

At the Ajournment of the Annual
March Meeting March 13th 1804
Chose a Committy to Divide the Town
into fore Districts they Divided it
voted that the two [illegible] District [illegible]
some Money from the Town to Build one New
School house

At a meeting in Chatham April [illegible]
1804 for the purpose of giving votes for
Governour Lieutenant governour and
for Senator the votes were given in
governour as follows for his Excellency Caleb Strong
Esqr [illegible] votes

Hon James Sullivan Esqr 16 votes

Lieut Governour Hon Edward H Robbins Esqr [illegible]
Hon William Heath Esqr [illegible] votes

Senator Hon John Dillingham Esqr [illegible] votes
Richard Sears Esqr —— 6 votes

Votes Sealed up and sent as the Law
Directs

[illegible] in Eastham

[illegible] 1804

Chose a committy to See what should
[illegible]
Schoole houses at the Adjurnment
of the sd March meeting they reported
the sd committee reported that the Town
should ~~bea in~~ Devided into four Districts
and Town to raise as much money as one
of the old Schoole houses Cost and the
[illegible] Districts to have the money
to build two Schoole houses and sd
houses to be Towns property
[illegible] Excepted by the Town

March the 13 1804 Elisha [illegible]
James Mayo } [illegible]
Joseph Collins
John Doane

[illegible] sd March Meeting they appointed
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] Meeting May 17th 1804 -
the Town Chose Mr Samuel Freeman
to Represent the (Town) in the General Court
of this Common wealth the insuing year — —
[illegible]

Chose Mr Samuel Freeman to
Represent the (sd) Town the Ensuing

At a Legal Meeting held in Eastham May 1805
the town Chose Mr Samuel Freeman to
Represent (sd) Town in the General Court the
Ensuing year.

At a Meeting held in Eastham May 18th
the town Chose Mr Samuel Freeman
Representative for the ensuing year

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham
May 9th 1808 The Town Chose
Samuel Freeman Esqr Representative
For the insuing year —

85 At [illegible] meeting [illegible]
town
the voted the [illegible] $150 [illegible]
of the [illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham duly qualified to vote for representative held in Eastham the third day of November it being the first monday of said month AD 1806 Voted for the following person to represent the people of this Commonwealth in the Congress of the united States [illegible] District were given in as follows (viz) for Wendall Davis Esqr 7 votes
for Isaiah L Green [illegible]

[illegible] By me [illegible]
} Clerk

[illegible] December [illegible]
[illegible] Mr Benjamin Clark as a Committee
stipulate Mr Shaws sallary

Appointed to the office of the
[illegible] of Eastham for the Ensuing year
for Sealer of weights and measures for
in the year one thousand Eight hundred & six

May 5th 1806 then the above named
[illegible] Knowles appeared and took the
oath Required by Law for Sealer of weights
& Measures before me [illegible] } Town Clerk

At a Legal Meeting May 5th 1806
The town voted to chuse a Committee to Examine
the town Book. Benjamin Clark
Hezekiah [illegible]
John Doane } Committee

Voted to pay the Select Men & Assessors
8 [illegible] 33 Cents for their service done in the
year 1805

The above Meeting adjourned to the first monday
in November

At a Legal Meeting May 1st 1806
The town voted to raise the Sum of D. 150
200 Dollars of the above Sum for
the use of Schools

At a Legal Meeting of the inhabitants of
[illegible] 1806
[illegible]
[illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants
of Chatham May the 15th 1807
Voted to Raise the Sum of [illegible] Dollars
200 Dollars of the above Sum for the support
of Schools the ensuing year

Voted to pay the repair of the highways.

Voted [illegible] Dollars to [illegible]

At a Legal Meeting of the inhabitants
of Eastham May the 9th 1808
Voted to Raise the Sum of 300 dollars
100 dollars of the above Sum for the use of
Schools

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants
of Eastham May 18th 1809
Voted to Raise the Sum of [illegible] Dollars
200 Dollars of the above sum for the use of
Schools

At a meeting of the inhabitants of
Eastham Sept. 19th 1809 then the town
of Eastham Revised and regulated the
Juror Boxes as the law directs.

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants
of Eastham [illegible] the 7th [illegible] for the purpose
of chusing a Representative for the ensuing year
Chose Samuel Freeman Esqr Representative

At A Legal meeting of the inhabitants of
Eastham May 19th 1810 —
Voted to raise the sum of nine hundred Dollars
for the ensuing year two hundred Dollars of
the above sum for the use of Schools for the
ensuing year

Voted that the above sum be paid in to the
Treasurer on or before the last day of December
one thousand Eight hundred & Eleven

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants
of the town of Eastham on monday the fifth
day of November one thousand Eight hundred
and ten for the purpose of Chusing a person
to represent the people in the Congress of the
United States
Votes for the following persons
[illegible] for Isaiah L Green [illegible]
for Francis Baylies 4 votes
Recd by me Ebenr Paine {Town Clerk

At a Legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Voted the [illegible] of
[illegible] [illegible] Voted as follows
Viz^d to raise the sum of 31 Dollars for the support
of a singing school the present winter

Hezekiah Atwood
Heman Doane
Ebenezer Paine

Chosen committee to settle the above s^d [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Samuel Freeman
[illegible] [illegible] John Doane — Committee
[illegible] [illegible] line between [illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the Inhabitants of
Eastham May the 14th 1811 for the purpose
of Choosing a Representative for the ensuing year
Chose Mr John Doane Representative

At a Legal Meeting of the inhabitants of
Eastham May 14 1811 —
Voted to raise the sum of 590 Dollars and all
of the forementioned sum for the use of Schools the
ensuing year —

At a Legal Meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham July 30th 1811 to act on the following articles

viz 1st to examine the juror box

2d to make sale of part of a pew in the meeting house belonging to one of the poor of this town

3d to vote a time for the constables to pay up their bills to the treasurer of sd town

4th to see if the town will sell the whole or part of the ground covered with the old women seats so called

also to see if the town will buy a pall

Eastham July 16th 1811

Nathl Freeman
John Doane } Selectmen

At the above meeting Examined the juror boxes and regulated them as the law directs,

Voted that the collector should pay in to the town treasurer one quarter of his bills on or before the first day of march annually the remainder the last of December

Sold the above mentioned part of a pew to Mr Jonas Doane for 13 & one half dollars

Voted to build pews on one half the ground covered with old women seats

Voted to buy a pall

Voted to chuse a committee to build the pews

Timothy Cole
John Crane
Harding Knowles } Committee

the above meeting adjourn'd to the first monday in November at which time the above mentioned pews were to be done and ready for sale

At the above mentioned adjournment the pews were sold for three hundred and forty one Dollars — — Ebenr Paine

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitans of the the town of Eastham May 14th [illegible]
Chose Mr John Doane Representative for the ensuing year.

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of Town of Eastham May 14 18[illegible]

Voted to raise the sum of nine hundred Dollars for the use of the town the ensuing year
$200 of the above sum for the use of School.

Voted for the Select men to repair the road that lead by Joshua Smiths Crossing [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]

At A Legal meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham on tuesday August 18th 1789 for the purpose of districting the town into school districts Voted to adjourn s^d meeting to the first in September next at 4 o'clock P.M.

At the adjournment of the above meeting Voted that the South school district at the now Town should be divided into two districts begining at a rock near the cove to the Eastward of Sam^l Freemans dwelling house thence running westward leaving Samuel Freemans and Nathan Kenneys dwelling houses on the north thence by the Cedar Swamp leaving David Knowles's house on the South thence west into the sea ——

Committee to run the district line
David Brown
William Knowles
Obed Knowles

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of
[illegible]
[illegible]
School districts also to see if the town will give
the owners names [illegible]
any other matter or thing for the benefit of scho[illegible]

At the above meeting chose a committee to Dist[illegible]
the town [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] Committee
[illegible]
Joseph Colling
Simeon Crane
Nehemiah Smith
Eben^r Paine

The [illegible]
Beginning at the South end of Greenman Swamp [illegible]
[illegible] into the bay leaving [illegible]
Clark in the west district [illegible]
[illegible] from the above [illegible]
leaving [illegible]
on the East thence northwesterly [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
William Gardner in the East District
the [illegible] of the Town

[illegible]

At the fore mentioned meeting
Voted to give up the several school houses
to the several districts and pay to the
proprietors of the East and West school
houses one hundred Dollars

Chatham October 15th 1812
Ebenezer Paine Clerk

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of
the town of Chatham held at the
[illegible] in said town on the 25th day
of [illegible]

Voted to raise the sum of 350 Dollars for
the support of the [illegible] the
[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Clerk

[illegible] Surveyor of highways [illegible] the
[illegible] of the year

[illegible]

Received of James Cole Constable [illegible] 1800.	[illegible]1. 39
Received of James Cole Constable January [illegible] 1801	184 33
Received of Joseph [illegible] Constable for the year 1800	11. 83
Received of James Cole January ye 26 1801	8 [illegible]
Recd of James Cole october ye 14th 1[illegible]	19 39.
the Town tax Committed to Caleb Lambert to Collect and pay to the Town treasurer	[illegible]
Received of Caleb Lambert Constable January ye 14th 1801	111
Received of Caleb Lambert Constable December ye 14th 1801	549 36
Received December ye 31st 1801 of Caleb Lambert Constable by [illegible] [illegible] 30 1801.	[illegible] 46

This day after settling with the Select men I have Received of Caleb Lambert Constable By [illegible] four dollars & 81 Cents [illegible] with the [illegible] of the [illegible] Committed to [illegible] to Collect

42

Received of Isaac Myrick october ye 15 1802
[illegible]

	D	C
Records of the Town tax Comitted to Elkanah Cobb to Collect in the year 1801 and 2. in	181	[illegible]
Received February 4 12th 1801 of Elkanah Cobb Constable by the hand of Joseph Collins	152	99
Received of Capt Joseph Collins money in behalf of Elkanah	19.7	13
Received of Elkanah Cobb Constable by Joseph Collins [illegible] 1801	[illegible]	4
Received of Elkanah Cobb by Joseph Collins February 20th 1804	11	51
with his premium — D. C 4.6.7	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

Notice has been given that the subscriber has taken up a five hundred boat in Wellfleet Bay on the 8 Day of November 1811 and advertised the same as the law Directs
Eastham Novr 9th 1811 John Hopkins

The Town tax Committed to Elkanah Higgins Constable
for the year 1802 to Collect is [illegible] $766-86

Received of Elkanah Higgins Constable for the year
April the 4th 1803 in part of the town tax $167-[illegible]
By [illegible] [illegible] 8 —
Received of Elkanah Higgins December
ye 27th 1803 — 263-08
Received of E. Higgins Constable January
ye 4th 1804 — 294-15
March [illegible] 1805 Received of Elkanah [illegible]
Higgins [illegible] with his premium [illegible]
766—86

The Town tax Committed to Joseph Collins Constable
for the year 1803 to Collect is 545=15

December ye 31 1804
then received of Capt Joseph Collins
together with his other payments the 539:12
18 8
his premium taken out [illegible] 521-4
Rec'd of Joseph Collins Collector for the year
[illegible] sum —

43

6-11
16

[illegible] March 1st 1864

Received of Joseph [illegible] Saunders

the sum of [illegible] for Salary and [illegible]

91.66

For [illegible] 1864

[illegible] in [illegible] 71

[illegible] March 24 1804

Paid [illegible] the Town Treasurer

his note — 158 [illegible]

March the 24th 1804

paid to William [illegible] for keeping

[illegible] William [illegible] the winter

[illegible] — 35 [illegible]

paid to [illegible] for keeping

one of the poor — 1

paid to Benj. [illegible] for keeping — 50

one of the poor

April [illegible] 1804 paid to [illegible] Clark the

preceding Town Clerk for recording

[illegible] — 1 —

recording [illegible] — 1

for parts that was left to the poor

year —

paid to Benjamin [illegible] for

keeping School the winter past —

[illegible] — 15

paid [illegible]

School the winter past [illegible] 10.18 ct

[illegible] paid [illegible]

[illegible] one of the poor

Recorded with Joseph Collier the same — 55 40

44

Receits Payments

November 4th 1804

[illegible]

Decem 4th 1804 paid the [illegible] 0 14

Shaw towards his Sallery 15

paid towards his Sallery 1

paid towards his Sallery

Novem 4th 1804

paid towards a New School House

and orther School Charges and

for the Support of the poor [illegible] 86

Chatham Decemb 26 1804

paid [illegible] towards

the New Schoolhouse 48

January 3 1805 paid to E J Mayo

for Bulding the New Schoolhouse 10

December 26 1804

[illegible] for his [illegible] 1 15

paid [illegible] 15 81

January 2 1805

paid [illegible] for keeping

[illegible]

January 3 1805 paid Benjamin

[illegible] for keeping School 13

119 1 20

Decem[illegible] 1804
paid Mr [illegible] 4 Dollars for attending 4
as a committy Concerning the [illegible]
paid Mr Shaw for the pulpit Cushing
8 10
Paid to Mrs Shaw for the pulpit Cushing 1 5

January 1st 1805 Then received of the town
Treasurer the sum of two hundred
and Thirteen dollars and thirty four cents
towards my salary for the year 1804.
Philander Shaw

January 30th 1805
then received twenty four Dollars and
ninety four Cents in full for my sallery for
the year 1804 Philander Shaw

January th 21 1805

paid towards Dorset schoolhouse	18	
paid Ben Knowles for	29	00
keeping school	08	
paid Mrs Cheever for keeping [illegible]	00	8[illegible]
paid [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
paid John Cook	01	90
paid widow hannah Mayo		
for keeping one of the poor	8	[illegible]
paid James Cole	10	85
paid James Cole	06	8[illegible]
paid Samuel Freeman	02	[illegible]
paid Samuel Freeman	02	[illegible]
paid Samuel Freeman	00	[illegible]
paid Samuel Freeman	00	[illegible]
paid Theophilus Knowles	18	71
paid Mrs Cheever	02	00
[illegible]	$68	86

paid Capt Micha Collins Nineteen Dollars and Ninety one for Boarding Mr. Griffith a schoolmaster for the North district Last winter	19	91
paid Elisha Mayo Esqr for building the New School house	10	00
paid James Cole for Services Done in the Town in the year 1809	03	—
paid Wd Hannah Mayo for keeping one of the poor	06	
paid James Cole for Ephraim Vaughan for Betty Snow one of the poor	04	10
paid [illegible] for keeping one of the poor of this Town —	03	
paid Wd Hannah Mayo for keeping one of the poor	02	71
paid Wd Hannah Mayo for keeping one of the poor	02	13
paid Zenos Doane for his part of Forest schoolhouse	07	15
paid Samuel Smith for services Done in the town for the year 1809	03	—
paid Ebenezer Paine for Services Done in the town	04	
Reconnted with Joseph Collins [illegible] for two notes not collected	04	[illegible]
paid Wd Hannah Mayo for keeping Betty Snow	03	—
paid Wd Hannah Mayo for keeping one of the poor	—	69
	73	89

payments
paid wid Hannah Mayo for keeping
one of the poor [illegible]
paid wid Hannah Mayo for keeping
one of the poor 02 48
paid wid Hannah Mayo for Ditto [illegible]
paid Mr Dan Brown for keeping
rates the year past 04 06
paid wid Hannah Mayo for keeping
one of the poor 01
paid Mrs [illegible] for keeping
of the poor 02
paid [illegible] for [illegible] in
the [illegible] 10
paid Benjm Knowles for keeping
one of [illegible] on the [illegible] 02
paid [illegible] Mayo for keeping
one of the poor 02
paid wid Mary Smith for clothing one
of the poor 00 83
paid Benj Brown for keeping
one of the schools last year 08
paid [illegible] for keeping [illegible] [illegible] 50
paid [illegible] for keeping [illegible] [illegible]
paid [illegible] for keeping school 1 50
[illegible]

February 1st 1805
paid to Revd Mr Shaw twenty four 24 94
dollars and seventy five cents 7 75
in full for his salary for the year 1804 80 42
paid [illegible] for his part of 4
[illegible] schoolhouse
Town Order for recording births 8

[illegible] March the 25 1805 paid to [illegible] Doane for one [illegible] in the District School House	$1	75
March 12 1805 [illegible] in full for his Building the New School House [illegible]	[illegible]	
March 12th 1805 discounted with Edward Higgins Jun [illegible]	11	[illegible]
March 12th 1805 to Benjn Knowles Jun for keeping School this year	[illegible]	75
March 12th 1805 Paid to Freeman Doane fifty dollars in full for District School money	50	
March 12th 1805 Paid to Mr [illegible] for his keeping School in the [illegible] District in [illegible] part	15	
	162	18
Paid to Samuel Freeman for his [illegible] year 1805	3	—
paid [illegible]	6	[illegible]
[illegible] paid to [illegible] Doane [illegible]	2	[illegible]
Paid for [illegible] James [illegible]	16	[illegible]
[illegible]	1	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible] a legal meeting [illegible] the inhabitants

of Eastham at the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

the bottom of the above sum [illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants

Eastham for the purpose of Choosing

[illegible]

Chose Capt Heman Smith as their

Representative in Eastham May [illegible]

Eastham December 2d 1814

Voted to Chuse a committee of safety in

the present State of war

Obed Knowles
Timothy Cole
Nathl Mayo
Saml Freeman
Obadiah Doane
Barnabas Atwood

Committee

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants
of the town of Eastham on tuesday the 8th
of November 1803 to see what sd town
would do respecting diging a canal from the
herring pond into the great meadow Creek —

Voted as follows —

1st for the town to do one quarter of the labour
in diging the canal from sd pond to the
creek and to have to themselves all the
priviledges of all kinds of fishery that may
ever arise in sd pond.
and the proprietors of sd canal to have the
priviledge of the canal for Mills & machines
as reported by the committee —

Michael Collins
Samuel Freeman
Thomas Crosby
Obed Knowles
[illegible]
Committee

Voted the proprietors to open sd canal in the
course of 5 years or the above vote to become [illegible]

Voted that the proprietors build a sufficient bridge
over sd Canal

Eastham November 8-1803

Ebenezer Paine — Clerk

At a Legal meeting of the inha-
[illegible] Carlton on the fourth day of May
[illegible] the purpose of choosing a Represen-
to Represent them at the next General Court
[illegible] Herman Smith Junr was Chosen

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of
Carlton on May ye 4th 1814 voted [illegible]
Voted to Raise the sume of 900 Dollars
for the year 1814 160 Dollars of the
above sum for the use of Schools

Voted to pay unto the South School District
[illegible] Dollars
Voted to pay [illegible]
[illegible] 15 Dollars Eliz Haile T C

[illegible]
Raise the sum of 900 Dollars
[illegible]
[illegible] above meeting voted to pay to
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] Selectmen for committees [illegible]
to pay all creditors [illegible]
the [illegible]

[illegible]

At a [illegible] meeting of the [illegible]
[illegible] on Tuesday [illegible]
[illegible] 1814
[illegible] for Representative for
[illegible]
[illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants
of Eastham May 29 1815
Voted to raise the sum of 1100 Dollars
for the use of the town the ensuing year
160 Dollars of the above sum for the use
of Schools —

Voted that the collector should pay in
to the town treasurer one half the amount
of his bills on or before the first day of
[illegible] [illegible] the remainder by the last
day of Decemb. following —

At the above meeting Voted that the
Revd Mr should have for his Sallary
[illegible] voted on the
Revd Mr Briggs plan of Chatham
[illegible] 12[illegible] Dollars yearly

[illegible] Briggs Sallary is Stipulated as follows
1/4 on Corn at [illegible] Bushel
1/4 on Rye at 80 Cents ditto
1/3 of the fish at [illegible] Cents — Quintle
[illegible] on pork at 7 cents p lb
1/12 on Beef at 4 Cents p lb

At a Legal meeting of the
inhabitants of the town of Eastham
May 29th 1815

Voted to Choose a committee to
petition the General Court for some
Compensation for the property taken
from the town by the enemy

Rev.d Philander Shaw	Committee
Sam.l Freeman Esq.r	
Capt Heman Smith	
Dea.n Benjamin Clark	
Capt Obed Knowles	

At a Legal meeting of the
inhabitants of the town of Eastham
[illegible] 6th 1816 —

Voted to raise the sum of Eleven
[illegible] Dollars for the use of the
[illegible] ing [illegible]
[illegible] a Dollars [illegible]
for the use of Schools —

[illegible] [illegible] Clerk

[illegible]
of the town of Eastham [illegible]
whose names [illegible]
[illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants
of Eastham on Monday November the
fourth 1816 for the purpose of giving
in their votes for a Representative to
the Congress of the United States
Voted for the following persons
Viz For Honble John Reed Esqr — 20 votes
For Walter Folger Esqr — 13 votes

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants
of Eastham on monday November the
fourth 1816
Voted that the Selectmen Should apply
to the Doctors that [illegible] was employed
by the town the last winter and that each
individual that was visited by them should
pay so much of Doctors bill as he should
think himself able or willing the remainder
to be paid by the town

Votes Given in by the inhabitants of Eastham
May the first [illegible] for a Representative
in Congress of the United States
[illegible] John Reed Esqr [illegible] votes
For Walter Folger — one vote
[illegible] in [illegible] one vote

At a Legal meeting of the
inhabitants of Eastham May 5th 1817
Voted to raise the sum of Eleven hundred
Dollars for the use of the town — $ 1100
200 Dollars of the above sum for the use
of Schools

Also Chose Joshua Atwood
Representative in General Court
the ensuing year

Also revised the Juror Box as the
Law directs   Eben^r Paine T.C.

At a Legal meeting of the
inhabitants of Eastham May 4th 1818
Voted to raise the sum of Eleven hundred
Dollars for the use of the town for the
ensuing year — — $ 1100
200 Dollars of the above sum for the
use of Schools the ensuing year

At the above meeting
Chose Joshua Atwood for
Representative at the general
Court Eastham May [illegible]

Eastham June 10th 1799

We the subscribers Selectmen of Eastham and
[illegible] being [illegible] by [illegible]
of perambulating the lines between said
towns as the law directs do mutually agree
and report as follows — —
by begining at the mouth of rock harbour
river thence up the middle of the river to
the mouth of rock harbour road thence
South Easterly by the northerly side of said
road to the south west corner known of the
[illegible] land at a stone placed in the
[illegible] Smith's dwelling house
thence northerly in the westerly range of said
[illegible] land now [illegible] mill
and Timothy Crane to the road thence across
[illegible] in an oblique line to the range
[illegible] Smith & Joshua Smith and
[illegible] Smith land [illegible]
[illegible] range [illegible]
[illegible] thence due East to the middle
[illegible] river thence [illegible]
[illegible] to the north
[illegible] road [illegible]
[illegible] corner of [illegible] land
[illegible] owned by Timothy Crane thence
[illegible] to the [illegible]
northerly in said Cranes range to the [illegible]
[illegible] William [illegible] land at rock harbour
[illegible]
[illegible] thence [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] thence [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] of the case to [illegible]

of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Hiram [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

The Account of Money Received
on [illegible] in the Meeting House
of [illegible] [illegible] | [illegible]

Mr Harding [illegible] note
Principle and Interest —— | 69 | 59

February 5th 1809
this Day settled the town treasurer ~~[illegible]~~ and there is Due to the town [illegible] the sum of fifty six dollars and sixty six cents which sum now remains in said Treasurer —— ~~56 66~~

The above sum which was wrong taken which was [illegible] from [illegible] Town Treasurer

March 19th 1809
received for Joshua Haynes note | [illegible]
received for Joseph Mayo's note | 13 | 94
received for Capt. Theophilus Knowles | |
[illegible] | 16 | 9[illegible]
Received on Sam Freeman's note | 146 | 60
| 38[illegible] | [illegible]

[illegible] 15th 1809
Received on Mr Samuel Freeman's note | 14 | 86

[illegible] and clearance [illegible]

February

April 19th 1805
we the Subscribers Select men
of the Town of Eastham then reckoned with
the Treasurer's accounts and found in
Notes and Money remaining
in his hands, $88.[illegible]
interest on Ulyrick [illegible]
93

[illegible] Freeman
[illegible]

Mr. Theophilus Smith and Miss [illegible] [illegible] both of Eastham have been published in this town as the law directs August 1822 Ebenr. Freeman

Mr. [illegible] Knowles of [illegible] and Miss [illegible] of [illegible] have their intention of marriage published in this town as the law directs August 1822 Ebenr. Freeman

The intention of marriage between Mr. Daniel Gill of Eastham and Miss [illegible] [illegible] of Wellfleet has been published in this town as the law directs Eastham Septemr. 7 1822 E Freeman Town Clerk

jun
Mr. Nathaniel Atwood of Wellfleet and Miss Phebe [illegible] of Eastham have had their intention of marriage published in this town as the law directs Eastham Septr. 3 1822 Eben Freeman Town Clerk

The intention of marriage between Mr Simeon Snow of Orleans and Miss Anna Knowles of Eastham has been published in this town as the law directs Eastham April 4 1823
Ebenr. Freeman T. Clerk

The intention of marriage between Mr Timothy Smith and Miss Ruth [illegible] [illegible] both of Eastham has been published in this town as the law directs
Sept. 1823 Eben. Freeman T. Clerk

[illegible] between Mr. [illegible]
[illegible] Miss Mercy Mayo of
[illegible] in Eastham on the law
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] between Mr. John
[illegible] Gill of Eastham
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible] and Mehitable [illegible]
been publish'd as the law directs
Eastham January 7th 1804 Attest [illegible]

[illegible] between [illegible]
[illegible] of Orleans and
[illegible] of Eastham
publish'd as the law directs
[illegible] January 9th 1804 Chas.

[illegible] between [illegible]
[illegible] of Eastham and
Miss [illegible] have been
publish'd [illegible] as the law directs.
Eastham January 1804

[illegible] intention of marriage between
[illegible] of Eastham and
Miss Achsah [illegible] of [illegible] have
been publish'd [illegible]
[illegible] 1804 [illegible]

[illegible] Samuel Freeman [illegible]

[illegible]	18 70
Due from Samuel Freeman	03-20
	21-90
[illegible]	
[illegible]	15 -
[illegible] Credt by S D Freeman ——	06-90
[illegible]	21-90
for [illegible] ——	[illegible] 50
Freeman Potter to the Town ——	1 —

~~[illegible] Due from~~ Samuel Freeman

~~with Interest [illegible]~~ [illegible]

Re intention
between Mr Samuel Martin of
[illegible] and Miss Lydia M Chipman
[illegible] hes been published
[illegible]
[illegible] Freeman

[illegible] intention of marriage [illegible]
[illegible] Lewis Smith and Miss Eliza
[illegible]
published in this Town as the law

December 1823

The intention of Marriage between Mr
[illegible] of Gorham and Miss [illegible]
[illegible] of [illegible] has been published in this town
as the law directs.
Gorham March [illegible]
Ebenr [illegible]

The intention of Marriage between
Mr Solomon [illegible] and Miss Clarissa Smith
both of Gorham has been published in this
town as the Law directs.
Gorham March [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Gorham [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible] Miss [illegible]
of [illegible] have been published in [illegible]
as the Law directs
[illegible]

[illegible] intention of Marriage between Mr. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] lawfully [illegible]
[illegible]

The intentions of Marriage between Mr. Isaac
Freeman of Chatham and Miss Mary [illegible]
of Chatham has been lawfully published in
Chatham March 24th 1825 G Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage between Mr. [illegible]
[illegible] of Chatham and Miss [illegible]
of [illegible] has been lawfully published in
Chatham April 25th 1825 G Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage between Mr. Jonathan
[illegible] and Miss [illegible] Doane
of Chatham has been published in Chatham as the
law directs Chatham June 18th 1825

Geo. Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage between Mr. John
[illegible] of Chatham and Miss [illegible]
of [illegible] has been published in Chatham
as the law directs
Chatham August 13th 1825
Clark Town Clerk
Geo

The intentions of Marriage between Mr. Freeman
D. Mayo and Miss Bethsheba Smith both of
Chatham has been published in Chatham as the
law directs
Chatham January 2d 18[illegible]
G. Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage between Mr
William H. Knowles and Miss Betsy
A. Doane both of Eastham has been
Published in Eastham as the law directs
Eastham January 10th 1826 G. Clark T C

The intentions of Marriage between Mr
Crowell Doane and Miss Abigail C.
Knowles both of Eastham has been
Published in Eastham as the law directs
Eastham January 23d 1826 Geo Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage between Mr
William [illegible] and Mrs Hannah [illegible]
both of Eastham has been published in Eastham
as the law directs
Eastham February 16th 1826 G. Clark [illegible]

The intention of Marriage between Mr
[illegible] and Miss Nancy [illegible]
Smith both of Eastham has been Published
in Eastham as the law directs G. Clark [illegible]
Eastham February 24th 1826.

The intentions of Marriage between Mr
Samuel Higgins of Orleans and Miss
Betsey T. [illegible] of Eastham has been
published in Eastham as the law directs
Eastham February [illegible] 1826 G. Clark T C

The intentions of Marriage between Mr
Benjamin Walker of Eastham and Miss
Hannah Freeman of Orleans has been
Published in Eastham as the law directs
Date Eastham March 13th 1826
George Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage betwen Mr
Jabez C. Mores and Miss Mehitable Till
both of Eastham has ben Published in
Eastham as the law directs
Dated Eastham March 13th 1826
George Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage betwen Mr
Barnabas Cook and Miss Sophronia Doane
both of Eastham has ben published in
Eastham as the law directs
Dated Eastham April 25th AD. 1826
G Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage betwen Mr Elisha Cobb
and Miss Thankful Smith both of Eastham has
ben Published in Eastham as the law directs
Dated Eastham September 8th 1826
G Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage betwen Mr Nathaniel
P. Wiley of Wellfleet and Miss Matilda Mayo
of Eastham has ben Published in Eastham as the law directs
Dated Eastham November 4th 1826
George Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage betwen Mr Henry Mr
Knowles and Miss Betsy Doane both of Eastham
has ben Published in Eastham as the law directs
Date Eastham December the 10th 1826
G Clark Town Clerk

The intentions of Marriage betwen Mr Samuel
Higgins of Orleans and Miss Lurana Paine
of Eastham has ben Published in Eastham as the
law directs
Date Eastham December 20th 1826
G Clark Town Clerk

Eastham January 9th 1801.

Then received of the Town Treasurer the sum of two hundred and Forty six Dollars and sixty three cents towards my Salary for the year 1800.

D C
246 63

Philander Shaw

Paid to Revd Mr Shaw February ye 10th 1801
[illegible] [illegible] Sallary for the [illegible]
[illegible]
towards his Sallary for the year 1801 57 39

Received of Benjamin Clark Town treasurer
January ye 19th 1802 [illegible]
[illegible] and seventy five dollars
and ninety Eight Cents which is in full
for my Sallary to the [illegible] of the year [illegible]

D C
[illegible]

Philander Shaw

11 3

Paid to the Revd Mr Shaw January [illegible]
towards his Sallary for the year 1801. [illegible]
Paid to the Revd Mr Shaw April [illegible]
towards his Sallary for the year 1801. 16 [illegible]

Received January ye 5th 1804
of Benjamin Clark town treasurer three
hundred and thirty three dollars and thirty three cents
in full for my sallary for the year 1803
$ c
333 33

Philander Shaw

Record of publishment

The intention of marriage between Mr [illegible]
[illegible] Wilkerson and Miss [illegible] have
has been published in Eastham as the law
directs
Ebenezer Freeman Jr Clk
October 17 1818

The intention of Marriage between
Mr [illegible] of Eastham and
Miss [illegible]
has been published in Eastham as the law
directs
Eastham October 2[illegible] 18[illegible]
E Freeman T Clk

The intention of Marriage between [illegible]
[illegible] of Orleans and Miss [illegible] of
Eastham has been published in this town as the
law directs
Eastham November 24th 1818
E Freeman T. Clk

The intention of Marriage between
Mr Kenni Higgins of Orleans and
Miss [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
in Eastham as the law direct
Eastham [illegible] 1819

The intention of Marriage between
Mr Josiah Smith and [illegible] [illegible]
both of Eastham has been published in this
town as the law direct
Eastham Jenuary 1819—

The intention of Marriage between Mr
[illegible] [illegible] Harrison Hopkins
of Eastham and Miss Betsey Snow
of Orleans has been published in this
town as the law directs
Ea[illegible] [illegible] 1819

The [illegible] of Marriage between
Mr John Hopkins jr and Miss [illegible]
Smith has been published in the town
as the law directs
Eastham March [illegible] 1819
E Paine

The intention of marriage between
Mr [illegible] [illegible] and Miss [illegible]
[illegible] both of Eastham has been published
in this town as the law directs
Eastham March 20—1819
E Paine T [illegible]

The intention of Marriage between
Mr Spruceman Doane and Miss [illegible]
[illegible] has been
publish'd in this town as the law
di[illegible]
Eastham May 4th 1817
[illegible]

The intention of marriage between
Mr Nathan F Cobb and Miss Nancy
Doane both of Eastham has been
publish'd in this town as the law
direct. Eastham August 2th 1817
E. Paine C

The intention of Marriage between
Mr Abraham Davis of Middletown
and Miss Mercy Doane of Eastham
has been publish'd in this town as the
law direct,
Eastham [illegible] 1819
[illegible]

Mr James Paine and Miss Ruth
Paine of Eastham have been publish'd
in this town as the law direct,
Eastham Febr 9 1819
Elnathan Paine Clerk

[illegible]

[illegible]

The intention of Marriage between
Mr Joseph Mayo [illegible] Smith
both of Eastham has been pub-
lis[illegible] [illegible] the [illegible]
Eastham February [illegible]
[illegible]

the intention of marriage between Mr
Charles Hinckley of Barnstable [illegible]
Jemima Clark of Eastham has been publish-
ed [illegible]
[illegible]
E [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] in this town on [illegible]

[illegible] 1820 [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] of marriage [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Legal Meeting [illegible] the inhab[illegible]
[illegible] the 7th day of December
[illegible] being the first monday of sd month
[illegible] choosing a Representative
[illegible] the united States of America
[illegible] follow

[illegible] Esqr [illegible]
Wendell Davis Esqr: 21 votes

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of
[illegible]
[illegible] respecting the Sedge ground and
[illegible]
[illegible] adjourned [illegible]
previous to the second wednesday [illegible]
[illegible]

5 Birds
&
Records

Notice has ben given to the Clerk of the town of Chatham ~~that~~ that Barnabus Doane & Heman Doane both of Chatham after having ben sworn to the faithful performance of the trust reposed in them by virtue of a warrent from Harding Knowles Esq Just. peace - Have appraise two sheep restrained in the town pound, and made returns into the town Clerks office as follows viz

One white ram sheap - $0 = 62½
One black weather sheep - 0 = 25
1 = 87½

June 26th 1826

Barnabus Doane
Heman Doane

George Clark {Clerk of Chatham

Notice has been given to the Clerk of the
[illegible] Eastham that Harding Knowles
and Timothy Cole after being sworn to the
[illegible] their [illegible] have appraised
[illegible] mentioned in the town pound
in Eastham

Viz	one white ram	£ 1 - 17
	one white ewe at	1 - [illegible]
	one white ram lamb	1 - [illegible]
	one white wether lamb	1 - [illegible]
	total	[illegible] - [illegible] - [illegible]

Eastham Octobr. 13 1818

Harding Knowles } Appraisers
Timothy Cole }

Ebenezer Paine Town Clerk

Barnabus Doane & Joshua [illegible]
both of Chatham being sworn faithfully
to discharge their duty agreeably to a
warrent from the Clerk of the town
of Chatham to them directed.
Have made returns into the town Clerks
office of their doings as follows.
Persuent to a warrent from the Clerk of the
town of Chatham we have estimated the damages
therein referred to at the sum of $1.12½ cts
and have also appraised one of the cows they
impounded at the sum of $1.12½ Cents to
answer the damages and all charges
Chatham October 8th 1825

Barnabus Doane } Appraisers
Joshua [illegible]
George Clark town Clerk

To Joshua [illegible] Constable
of the town of Eastham Greeting
You are hereby required in the name of the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts to summon and
notify the inhabitants of Eastham qualified to vote
in town meeting viz such as pay to one tax
besides poll or polls a sum equal to two thirds of a
single poll tax to assemble at the meeting house
Eastham on monday the eleventh day of March next
at twelve o clock at noon to act on the following
articles viz 1st to choose all necessary town officers
in the year ensuing—

2d to give in their vote for a County Register
3d to vote what they think proper for the collection
of taxes — —

4th to see if the town will vote to stop neat cattle from
[illegible] at large in this town — —

Given under our hands & seals in Eastham this
27th day of February 1811

Saml Freeman
Obed Knowles
John Doane
Select
Men
of Eastham

At the annual meeting [illegible]
Chose officers as [illegible]
Ebenezer Paine Clerk & Treasurer

Samuel Freeman
Obed Knowles } Select Men
[illegible]

Samuel Freeman
Obed Knowles } Assessors
Harding Knowles

[illegible] Paine — Constable

Seth Knowles
Hezekiah Rich } Surveyors of highways

Freeman Knowles
[illegible] } Fence viewers
Joseph Mayo

John Cook
Benjamin Higgins } Tythingmen

[illegible]
Daniel Cole } Field drivers

[illegible] Knowles
Elisha Mayo Esqr } Surveyors of [illegible]

David Knowles
[illegible] } Hogreeves

Freeman Knowles Pound Keeper

At a [illegible] [illegible] held annual
Meeting in Eastham March 11th 1811
Votes given in for County Register
as follows
For Ebenr Bacon Esqr 41 votes
For Job C Davis - - - - 2 - votes

Voted not to act on the last clause in the
foregoing warrant

Meeting to be adjourned to the first monday
in April next.

At the adjournment of the Annual March
Meeting held on monday the first day of April
1811 —

Voted that the premium for Collecting taxes
to be one thirty second part of the town
County and State tax. as committed to the collector
of Eastham. April 1st 1811

Ebenezer Paine } Clerk
of Eastham

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham on monday the first April one thousand eight hundred and eleven for the purpose of chuseing Governor Lieutenant and Senator for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Votes given in as follows

viz For His Excellency Elbridge Gerry 17 votes
Honble Christopher Gore — 12 votes

For Lieut Governor
Honble William Gray — 16 votes
William Phillips Esqr 12 votes

For Senator:
Timothy Phinney Esqr — 16 votes
Elisha Doane Esqr — 14 votes

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham held on the fourth day of February 1812 for the purpose of Chusing a County Register Voted as follows
For David Crocker — 35 votes
For Job C Davis 24 votes

6 At a Legal meeting of the
inhabitants of Eastham on Monday the
Sixth Day it being the first monday of month
for the purpose of Electing Governor —
Lieutenant Govr & Senators for the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts —
[illegible] for the following persons were given
as follows [illegible] Gerry
[illegible]
[illegible] votes
[illegible] thirty [illegible] votes
For Lieut. Govr — Honble William King
39 votes
For William King 39 votes

Senators John [illegible] have 39 votes
for John Read — 39 votes —

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants
of the town of Eastham on Monday the
[illegible] Day of November 1818
for the purpose of Electing a Representative
to Congress of the United States
votes for the following persons as follows
Capt. Walter Folger Esqr 10 votes
for John Read Esqr — 12 votes

[illegible]

At a legal meeting
of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham
March 7th 1814 officers chosen as follows
[illegible] Freeman chosen Clerk & Treasurer

Saml Freeman Esqr } Selectmen
Elisha Mayo — Esqr
Obed Knowles —

Saml Freeman Esqr } Assessors
Elisha Mayo — Esqr
Enos Doane
Obed Knowles
Joshua Atwood

Thomas Cobb } Constable

[illegible] Myrick } Surveyors of high ways
Seth Knowles
Hezekiah Atwood

Elisha Freeman } Fence viewers
[illegible] Higgins

[illegible] Snow } Tithingmen
Ephraim Smith

[illegible] Walker } Field drivers
Enos Doane
Thomas Cole
Nathan Knowles

[illegible] [illegible] Surveyors of lumber
[illegible] Mayo Esqr

[illegible] Atwood Hog reeves
[illegible] Cole —

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Elisha Mayo Esqr
Thomas [illegible]
Freeman [illegible]
Committee to settle with the town Treasurer

At the above meeting voted as follows
Voted to give Mr Shaw the same for his salary as the year past

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Voted to stop neat Cattle from going at large in this town the present year

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Voted to return the money to them that have purchased Commonage and take back their Deeds

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Voted to [illegible] [illegible] at the herring pond if the committee think it for the benefit of the town —
Joshua Atwood
Benjamin Cole — Committee to
Thomas Knowles — report at the
Elisha Mayo Esqr — adjourned
Timothy Cole — Meeting —

The above Meeting adjourned to the first Monday in April at 2 o'Clock

Votes given in for County Treasurer
for David Crocker 29 votes

Eastham March [illegible] 179[illegible]

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At a legal meeting of the inhabitants
[illegible] the third [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]

List Gov^r & Senator votes given in as follows
[illegible]
Gov^r Caleb Strong Esq^r [illegible] votes
Samuel Dexter Esq^r 46 votes

L^t Gov^r William Phillips Esq^r 17 votes
William Gray Esq^r 24 votes

Senator
For Solomon Freeman Esq^r
22 votes
Wendel Davis Esq^r 42 votes

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
year of our Lord one thousand eight [illegible]
[illegible]

For Governor
[illegible] Samuel Dexter 24 votes
[illegible] Strong 11 votes
[illegible]

For L^t Governor
William King 17 votes
William Phillips 12 votes
[illegible]

Senator
[illegible] Freeman Esq^r 20 votes
[illegible]
Thomas [illegible] Esq^r 11

Votes given in for County Register
For Jos. C. Davis 24 votes 13

Votes for County Treasurer—
For David Cook 24 votes

Eastham April 6 1866
Thos. Graves Town Clerk

At a legal meeting April 6 1818 the following officers were chosen
Ebenezer Freeman Clerk & Treasurer

Elisha Mayo
Saml Freeman
Obed. Knowles } Select men

Elisha Mayo
Saml Freeman
Joshua Jr Atwood } Assessors

Joseph Collins Constable

Saml Freeman
Hezekiah Doane } Surveyors of highways

Thomas Freeman
Zenas Doane } Fence viewers

Barnabas Doane
Nathaniel Cole } Tythingmen

Heman Doane
Zenas Doane
Elkanah Cobb
Nehemiah Smith } Field drivers

Joshua Mayo
Timothy Cole } Surveyors of lumber

Ebenezer Knowles Pound keeper

Joel Snow
[illegible] Mayo } Hogreeves

At a legal meeting of the 15
inhabitants of Eastham April
Voted to build a pound in the meeting

[illegible] Freeman Elisha Mayo Thos Simmons	Committee to see the care of building the above said pound

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Voted to stop neat Cattle from
going at large in the Town of
Eastham

The above meeting adjourn'd to the
first monday of May at 2 of clock
in the afternoon

At a legal Meeting of the inhabitants of the town of [illegible] agreeable to the warrant [illegible]

chose the officers as follows

[illegible] [illegible] } Selectmen

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Freeman [illegible] Town Constable

Freeman [illegible] } [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] } [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

John [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Town Clerk

At a Legal Meeting of the 17
inhabitants of Chatham March 4th 181[illegible]
Voted to stop the road that lead from
near Elias [illegible] Jr. as far South as
the road that comes from the west School
house to Peter Walker by fencing out a
road from the west School house to the
road that leads to Peter Walker

Voted to sell the ground where the old
men seats are to build two pews the same
as on the other side the Alley

Herring Pond

Voted to lease the herring pond to
Josiah Jr. [illegible] [illegible] on condition that at a
tearm of 50 years on condition that it
be dug out in ten years so as to bring
salt water into it.

Voted to stop neat Cattle from going at
large in the town the present year
Meeting adjourned to the [illegible] Monday in
April at the above [illegible]

Voted to set off all the [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] following [illegible] [illegible] the
[illegible] to ~~[illegible]~~ [illegible] [illegible]

At a Legal meeting of
the inhabitants of [illegible]
[illegible] the [illegible] month 1817
for the purpose of bringing Gov
Lieut. Governor and Senator

For Governor
His Excelency John Brook 12 votes
the Hon Henry Dearborn 18 votes

For Lieut Gov
Hon. William Phillips 9 votes
Hon. William King 13 votes

For Senator
Solomon Freeman Esq. 27 votes

At a Legal meeting of [illegible]
[illegible] meeting [illegible]
to sell somuch of the old women
seats to make one pew
Voted to chose a committee [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Joshua [illegible] Committee
Freeman [illegible]

Voted for the Selectmen to sell the
new pew

At A Legal Meeting of the
inhabitants of the Town of Eastham [illegible] on
the twenty second — 1817 [illegible]
Voted for the Selectmen to assess the
Revd. Mr. Shaw for his sallary this year

Voted to ratify the doings of the Selectmen
respecting John Smith one of the poore of
this town

Voted to appropriate the sum of 75 dollars
to raise a Singing school the present winter

George Clark
Joshua Pierce } Committee to
Freeman Knowles } superintend said
Singing School

We the subscribers having met this day for the purpose of ascertaining and renewing the line between the towns of Wellfleet & Eastham have [illegible] our [illegible] as follows [illegible] begining at a Stake and Stone at the head of Indian brook thence running East to the Ocean then from said Stone and Stake westerly across the post road by said Indian brook to the [illegible] [illegible] into Billingsgate bay including all the [illegible] state [illegible] [illegible] of the incorporation permission [illegible] of the town of Wellfleet to belong to the town of Eastham —

Dated at Wellfleet
[illegible] 18[illegible]

Harding Knowles (
[illegible])

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham on Monday March [illegible] 1818 for the purpose of Choosing all necessary town officers for the [illegible] year

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[illegible] Clk & Treasurer

Timothy Cole
George Clark
Harding Knowles
Selectmen

Saml Freeman
Obed Knowles
Harding Knowles
Assessors

[illegible] Knowles | Constable

James Knowles
Elijah Collins
[illegible] Doane
[illegible] Higgins
Field drivers
Barnabas Doane

James H Knowles
Elijah Collins
Fence viewers

William Young
Enos Doane
Surveyors of highways

Elijah Knowles
[illegible] Higgins
Tythingmen

Timothy Cole
Harding Knowles — Surveyors of lumber

Freeman Knowles pound keeper

Barnabas Doane
Timothy Cole — hogreeves

Voted to stop neat Cattle from going at large in Eastham

Voted to stop the [illegible] from [illegible] [illegible] by [illegible]

Voted for the select men to be a committee to stipulate with other [illegible] in [illegible] yearly

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At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of [illegible] on Monday April 6th 1817 for the purpose of choosing Governor Lieut Govt & Senator [illegible] voted as follows

for Benjamin W Crowninshield Esq [illegible]

for John Brooks Esq Governor [illegible]

for William Phillips Esq 16 votes

for Thomas Kittredge Esq 16 votes

[illegible] Senator

[illegible] Elbridge [illegible] Esq 53 votes

[illegible]

[illegible] County Treasurer

[illegible] Esq 23 votes

[illegible] Esq [illegible] 7 votes

Voted to accept the Selectmen [illegible] for their services the year 1817

[illegible] Annual [illegible] meeting
[illegible] March [illegible] 1817

[illegible]

[illegible] Benjamin

[illegible] Michael [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Freeman [illegible]

[illegible]

74 [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] 1819

[illegible] from

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] monday of April

[illegible] Selectmen

[illegible] for [illegible] 1818

[illegible]

[illegible] legal meeting of the
inhabitants of Eastham on monday
the 12th day of April 1819
Voted to [illegible] the road that goes by
[illegible] for three years

Voted to purchase a book for the use
of the Selectmen to keep their record

[illegible] for [illegible]
[illegible] 9th of [illegible]

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Eastham for the purpose of giving in their votes for Govr. Lieut Govr & Senator held on Monday the 5th it being the first Monday of the month in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred & nineteen

For his Excelly John Brooks Esqr [illegible]

Honle Benjamin W Crowningshield 19

For Lieut Governor

Honle William Phillips [illegible]

Benjamin Austin Esqr [illegible]

For Senator

Solomon Freeman [illegible]

[illegible] a legal meeting of the
inhabitants of the town of [illegible] the
[illegible] 1799

Voted to raise the sum of [illegible] dollars
[illegible] dollars of the above sum for the
use of Schools

Voted to pay Mr. [illegible] one Quarter
of his Sallary the 13th day of may

Voted to chuse a representative to
[illegible]
[illegible] Chosen

Attest Belial [illegible]
[illegible] the common [illegible]

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants
[illegible] of the third day
[illegible] 1799
[illegible] Knowls Esqr as agent to
[illegible] his favor in
[illegible]
the sum of [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] the said agent [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Freeman [illegible]

[illegible]

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[illegible]
[illegible] next [illegible] from [illegible]

[illegible]

the [illegible] year [illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham on Monday the 5 [illegible]
[illegible] Governor
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

For County Treasurer David Thacher
thirty five votes
Voted that the Collector of Taxes shall give public notice on the first day of January [illegible] in Eastham
one or more public [illegible]
[illegible] shall [illegible]
the second [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

the annual [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Bolton Oct 16 1820
chose Samuel Freeman Esqr delegate to meet at Boston for the purpose of revising & amending the constitution of this Commonwealth

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31 At a Town meeting of the inhabitants [illegible] of Gorham - to give in their votes for Representative in Cong. representing the District. For Hon. John Read 31 votes

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[illegible] Gorham on the [illegible]

[illegible] still many officers [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] men

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Brand Register

[illegible] stated [illegible]
[illegible] in the town of [illegible]
[illegible] would [illegible]
[illegible] to make one [illegible]
[illegible] and near Bath [illegible]

[illegible]

William [illegible]

Levi Lincoln

[illegible]

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A List of Sheep [illegible]
by Hemard Dunn Chd [illegible]
Novem. 6 1821 [illegible]
Freeman Knowles [illegible]

Strayes

1 Ram mark'd half penny under [illegible] ear nick under side the left Crop of the right valued att ——— 9 0

1 weather Crop off the left ear and slit in the right valued at ——— 1 — 8 6

a Sheep & lamb slit in the left ear and nick fore side the same half penny under side the right valued at — 1 8 0

2 Black Sheep with half Crop under side the right ear valued at £1—10 each

one with tenant on the left ear and half Crop off the right at — 0 — 7 0

one with a slit in the Left ear half [illegible] back side the same half penny under the right valued at ——— 1

[illegible] amount £7 - 30

[illegible]

A[illegible]

[illegible] Clk & Treasurer

Samuel C[illegible]
[illegible] Selectmen
[illegible]

Samuel [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Timothy [illegible]

[illegible] Cole
Peter [illegible]
[illegible] Field Drivers
[illegible]
[illegible] Lincoln

[illegible] — [illegible]

[illegible]
~~[illegible]~~
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible] Fickman Surveyors [illegible]

John [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

that [illegible] of the [illegible]
the [illegible] next fall [illegible]
by [illegible]

[illegible]

At a legal meeting
of the inhabitants of the town
[illegible] on monday [illegible] April 1 1822
[illegible] purchasing [illegible] in their
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

At a legal meeting of the
inhabitants of town of Rutland
in May 1826
for the purpose of raising money
the ensuing year
Voted to raise the sum of 200 dol.
for schools also 800 dollars for the
poor & other charges
Voted to raise 200 dollars for the
support of the Gospel

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Gerham March the eighteenth 1802

Voted to appropriate the sum of 50 dollars for the purpose of a Singing School this winter to be laid out at the discretion of a Committee

Hendrey Reade Jur.

Committee { - Samuel Smith
Samuel Reade.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

His Excellency [illegible]
had 10 votes

Hon. James Sullivan Esq.
had 53 votes

Esq. [illegible]

[illegible] Richard [illegible] had 11 votes

The Town [illegible]
[illegible] this [illegible]

[illegible]

for the poor Singing

Att an Anual Meeting March th 4 1816 in [illegible]

Officers Chosen

Select Men

David Brown

Samuel Freeman

Samuel Smith

~~Assess~~

Asessors

Samuel Freeman

Obed Knowles

James Mayo Junr

Constable

Joshua Atwood

William Knowles (Surveyor of [illegible]

Nathan Kenny (Field Driver

[illegible] Knowles (
Seth) Fence viewers

Nathaniel Smith (
[illegible] Mayo) Tythingmen

David [illegible] (
John Smith) Hogreaf

Benjamin Knowles (pound keeper

40 [illegible] the annual march
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] Should Chuse two men and the town
two men and that they should Chuse the
fifth [illegible] [illegible] the said
[illegible] Sallary

Voted to accept of the report of the Committee

[illegible] Freeman } Committee for [illegible]
[illegible] Crow }

John [illegible] } Committee in behalf of the town
John Doane }

The annual meeting adjourned to the sixth
Monday in April at 2 oClock P M

At a Legal Meeting of the inhabitants of Westham[illegible] in the County of [illegible] [illegible] Commonwealth Massachusetts to vote for Governor Lieut Governor & Senator holden on the seventh day of April it being the first monday of sd month A D 1800

Votes given in were as follows Viz

For Governor

For Lieut Governor

His Excellency Caleb Strong Esq votes [illegible] Edward H Robbins [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] Sullivan [illegible] William Heath [illegible] 20

For Senator

David Scudder [illegible] [illegible] votes

At an Annual Meeting held by the inhabitants of Eastham March: 3d 1807

Officers Chosen as follows

1st

Samuel Freeman
Obed Knowles } Selectmen
John Doane

Samuel Freeman
Obed Knowles
Harding Knowles } Assessors

James Mayo jun Constable

Hezekiah Atwood
Jonathan Knowles } Surveyors of highways

Thomas Knowles
Obed Knowles } Surveyors of Boards

David Brown
Nathan Kenney } fence viewers

Caleb Cook
Seth Knowles } hogreeves

Benjamin Knowles pound keeper

James Nickerson
John Smith } field Drivers

Uriah Nickerson
Nathaniel Cole } tythingmen

Benjamin Clark a Committee to agree with Orleans to settle Lines on the flats

Turn over

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At an annual Meeting March 3d [illegible]

Voted that neat Cattle might run at large

Voted to Chuse a Committee to agree with the Mr Shaw respecting his Sallary to be made at the adjournment of the above meeting

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The above meeting adjourned to the first Monday in April

Benjamin Clark
Josiah Lane
John Crane } Committee to agree with Mr Shaw

At a Meeting of the inhabitants of [illegible]
for the purpose of Chusing Governor Lieu^t Gov^r
& Senator
Held at [illegible] on Monday the Sixth day of
April in the year of our Lord one thousand [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] Dollars

For governor His Excellency Caleb Strong
[illegible] votes

Hon^ble James Sullivan twenty nine votes

Lieu^t Governor

Hon^ble Levi Lincoln [illegible] two votes

For Senator

Hon James Freeman Esq^r twenty seven votes

At the above meeting voted [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
as his Salary for the year 1807 the Sum
of four hundred and fifty Dollars

At a Legal Meeting held by the inhabitants
of Eastham April 4th 1808 it being the
first Monday of sd Month for the purpose
of Chusing Governor, Lieut Governor &
Senators.
Votes were given in counted and declaration
made as follows.
Viz For Governor
His Excellency James Sullivan 46 votes
Hon. Christopher Gore — 5 votes
Lieut Governor
Hon. Levi Lincoln 44 votes
Hon. David Cobb — 6 vote
Senators
Joseph Dimmick Esqr 41 votes
Richard Sears Esqr 8 votes
At the above Meeting votes were given in
For County Treasurer as follows
Viz Ebenezer Bacon Esqr 24 votes
Job C. Davis — — — 2 votes

At A Legal Meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham on the 6th day of [illegible] [illegible] Voted as follows

Voted to Chuse a Committee to agree with Revd Mr Shaw Respecting his Sallary

Samuel Freeman Esqr }
Capt Thomas Smith Jur } Committee
Mr John Spaine }

Voted to make the Partition fence between Thomas Jenkins and the Parsonage Land adjoining him

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The above Meeting adjourned to the first Monday in May

The above Committee to make Report at the above adjournment

At an annual meeting of the inhabit[illegible]
of Eastham March the first 1797 —
Officers Chosen as follows —
Ebenezer paine Clerk & Treasurer

Samuel Freeman
Abed Knowles } Select men
John Doane

Samuel Freeman
Abel Knowles } Assessors
Harding Knowles

Capt Joseph Collins Constable

Thomas Knowles Daniel Cole } Fence viewers

William Knowles John [illegible] } Surveyors of highways

Elisha Mayo Timothy Cole Surveyors of lumber

John Cook Caleb Cook } Tything men

Eben^r paine Sealer of Leather

Prince Doane Nathan Kenney Haywards

Phillip Smith Jonathan Knowles hogreaves

Freeman Knowles pound keeper

At the above meeting voted to Stop the roads [illegible]
South north & west of the meeting house —

Chose Samuel Freeman John Doane to
Settle with Thomas Hill —

Voted that the town shall have thirty dollars
out of the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of [illegible]
[illegible] held on monday the third day of April [illegible]
for Governor Lieut Governor & Senators for the purpose
of giving in their votes for Govr Lieut Govr
and Senator votes given in as follows viz

For Governor
Honble Christopher Gore 26 votes
Honble Levi Lincoln 36 votes

For Lieut Governor
Honble David Cobb 26 votes
Honble Joseph B. Varnum 36 votes

For Senator
Major Elisha Cobb 26 votes
Honble Joseph Dimick 36 votes

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of [illegible] in the third day of April A.D. [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] a met [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the County of the [illegible] [illegible] in the County of [illegible]

[illegible] to lay out an open road [illegible] [illegible] barn to the road that goes by Peter Walker Shop [illegible] also to make [illegible] lenghts of fence to compleat [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] inhabitants of the [illegible] school district may have liberty to remove the school house in [illegible] [illegible] at their own expense

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham March the sixth one thousand Eight hundred and ten. Officers Chosen as follows

Ebenezer paine Clerk & Treasurer

Samuel Freeman Esqr
John Doane
Obed Knowles } Select Men

Saml Freeman
Obed Knowles
Harding Knowles } Assessors

Joshua p Atwood + Constable

Nathan Kenny +
Joshua P Atwood + } Surveyors of highway

Timothy Cole + surveyor of Lumber

Hezekiah Atwood
William Knowles } Fenceviewers Eastham

Elkanah Higgins + } Tithingmen

Zenas Doane
Jonathan Knowles } Field drivers

Peter Walker +
Joseph Snow + } Hogreeves

Joseph Mayo + pound keeper

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50 At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of Gorham March 6th [illegible]
Voted as follows -
To Chuse Samuel Freeman
Benjamin Clerk
William Myrick } Committee
to view the Road to the southward of the meeting house

Voted to make an addition to Mr Shaw's Sallary - Voted to Chuse five men as a Committee to Joint with Mr Shaw respecting his Sallary Viz

Samuel Freeman
Mr Joseph Collins
Elisha Mayo Esqr
Mr David Brown
[illegible] [illegible] Evans } Committee

The above meeting adjourn'd to the first monday in April -

At a Legal Meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham held on monday the [illegible] day of April one thousand eight hundred & ten for the purpose of giving their votes for Governor and Senator voted as follows

Viz For Governor
His honor William Gray two votes
His Excellency Christopher Gore 39 votes
His honor Elbridge Gerry 45 votes
For Lieut. Govr.
Honble David Cobb 40 votes
Honble William Gray 44 votes
For Senator Honble Joseph Dimmick 46 votes
Majr Elijah Cobb 37 votes

At the above meeting voted to add to the Revd Mr Shaw's stated Sallary the sum of [illegible] dollars yearly for the term of three years

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham December 31st 1811 for the purpose of giving in their votes for Register of Deeds for the County of Barnstable votes were given in as follows
For Job C. Davis six votes
For Nathan Underwood four votes
For Nabor Crocker nine [illegible] votes
For David Crocker five votes —
For Thomas Sturgis two votes

At a legal annual meeting of the inhabitants of Eastham held March the third day in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve the following officers were chosen viz —

Ebenezer Paine Clerk & Treasurer

Samuel Freeman Esqr [illegible]
Obed Knowles } Select men
John Doane — Harding Knowles

Samuel Freeman Esqr } David Brown
Obed Knowles } Assessors
Ebenezer Paine

[illegible]
Harding Knowles —

Elisha Mayo Esqr Constable

[illegible] } Surveyors of highways
[illegible]

[illegible] Doane Fence viewers
[illegible]

[illegible] Tythingmen
[illegible]

Joseph [illegible] Field Drivers
[illegible] with [illegible] —

Timothy Cole Surveyors of Lumber
[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

At the aforementioned meeting
Voted to pay the Revd Mr Shaw one year of his Sallary by the first tue of April annually

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Voted to Stop neat Cattle from going at large in Eastham except from Joshua Higgins dwelling house west into the sea also from Joshua Higgins house North by the country road to Wellfleet line then west by sd line to the sea there [illegible]

Voted to leave to the select men the alteration of the road by Freeman Knowles and make report at the adjournment of sd meeting

Voted that the meeting be adjourned to the first monday of April next at 3 o'clock P.M.

At the above adjournment voted to accept of the report of the select men respecting the road by Freeman Knowles

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At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham Decembr 28 1783
Voted for the town to be one half the labour [illegible]
[illegible]
to be the tray

Daniel Brown
Obed Knowles
Committee
Harding Knowles
[illegible] Clerk
[illegible]

At a Legal Meeting of the
Inhabitants of [illegible] March 1st [illegible]
Officers Chosen as follows
Ebenezer Paine Clerk & Treasurer

David Brown
Obed Knowles } Selectmen
Harding Knowles

David Brown
Obed Knowles Assessors
Ebenr Paine

Vincent Doane Constable

Nathl Cole
Ephraim Smith Fence viewers

Hezekiah Doane
Saml Smith } Surveyors of highways

Harding Knowles
Timothy Cole — Surveyors of Lumber

[illegible] Knowles
James Mayo Tythingmen

John Hopkins Field Drivers
[illegible] Doane

[illegible]
Saml Freeman Esqr Hog [illegible]

[illegible] Knowles pound keeper

[illegible] Mayo Leather Sealer

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till the — above mentioned meeting

Voted to Adjourn till the [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] [illegible]

Voted to leave it to the select men to sell as

[illegible] as they thought proper a piece of [illegible]

[illegible] lying to the [illegible] of [illegible] Freeman [illegible]

[illegible] and [illegible] may [illegible] [illegible]

Voted to Chuse a committee to consult with —

Revd Mr Shaw respecting his Sallary

Saml Freeman

Jonas Crane

Thomas Crosby Committee

Harding Knowles

Obadiah Davis to make report at [illegible]

Votes for county treasurer

Charles Crocker 48 votes

[illegible] 14 votes

[illegible] for the year 1813 —

as reported by the above committee

[illegible]

At a meeting of the inhabitants of [illegible] [illegible] Chose [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Day [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Smith [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible]

[illegible] to Hoft neat Cattle from [illegible]

[illegible] | Committee [illegible]
[illegible] | the [illegible]
[illegible] | [illegible]

[illegible] | [illegible] the [illegible] committee [illegible]
[illegible] Freeman | [illegible] their report [illegible]
[illegible] | [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Herman Smith | Committee [illegible]
Nehemiah Smith | the ex[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

Present [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] them

[illegible] Return from [illegible]
[illegible] bay

To the owner [illegible]
only

[illegible] for a [illegible]
[illegible] Esq.
[illegible]

[illegible] from
[illegible] in this town [illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]

Robert Paine Clerk & Treasurer

[illegible]

Samuel Freeman

[illegible]

Barnabas Doane
Isaiah Smith } Surveyors highways

[illegible]

[illegible]

At a Legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham holden of April the 7th 1823 it being the first monday of sd month for the purpose of giving in their vots for Governor Lieut Govr and Senator vote for the following persons were given in

Honl William Eustis — 48 vote.
Genl Harison G Otis — 4 vote
For Governor

Lieut Govr
Hon Levi Lincoln - 41 - voter
Honl Daniel Noble — 5 - voter
Harrison G Otis — one vote
Braddock Dimmuck — one vote

For Senator
Braddock Dimmuck Esqr 16 voter
Elijah Cobb Esqr - 27

Voted to Stop the road that lead to Boat meadow by gates or Bars as usual.

[illegible]

under bathing [illegible]

common form [illegible]

Freeman

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Brown — Surveyors

[illegible]

William Gill

Daniel Harding

[illegible] neat Cattle [illegible] the town of Eastham.

[illegible]

[illegible] for County [illegible] follows

[illegible]

[illegible]

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At a legal meeting of the inhabitants [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] 1825

Voted granted the sum of twelve [illegible] Dollars 300 Dollars of the above sum for the use of Schools [illegible] [illegible] same 300 Dollars for the support of the gospel

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At a [illegible] meeting March [illegible] [illegible] Representative

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[illegible] the first day [illegible] [illegible] 25 [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] of Barton [illegible]
[illegible] of Salem [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] of Plymouth
[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

At a legal Annual Meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of [illegible] held [illegible]
officers chosen as follows

George Clark } Town Clerk & treasurer

[illegible] } Selectmen
Samuel Knowles }
Freeman Knowles }

[illegible] } Assessors
[illegible] }
Parker [illegible] }

Chosen [illegible] Constable

Freeman Smith } Tithing men
[illegible] }
[illegible] }

Freeman [illegible] } Fence viewers
Freeman [illegible] }

[illegible] } Surveyors of lumber
Barnabas Freeman }

[illegible] } Surveyors of highways
Benjamin Higgins }

[illegible] } field drivers
[illegible] }

[illegible] } [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

at the above sd Meeting Voted as follows
to allow [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] to pay the assessors [illegible]
[illegible] for their services [illegible]
for the year 1824
Voted to stop neat cattle from going at large
Voted also to give the Selectmen [illegible]
the common land near Mr Benjamin [illegible]
by making gates or bars across the road that leads
to the [illegible] above & leaving a road to the [illegible]
Voted also the Selectmen [illegible] repair the [illegible]
[illegible] Freeman at the expense of the town
Voted the Selectmen should settle with the [illegible]
Voted to adjourn the above Meeting to the first
Monday in April next at 2 O Clock P. M.
Votes given in for County Treasurer was as follows
[illegible] forty votes [illegible]
[illegible]
Voted to [illegible] the Selectmen to settle
with Freeman [illegible] respecting [illegible]
contracted in time of the last war

Attest [illegible] Clerk

[illegible] Received Recording to Law
May 1825

At a Legal meeting of the freeholders
and other inhabitants of the town of [illegible]
qualified by law to vote in the Election of
Representative to the general Court of this
Commonwealth held in [illegible] on the
first monday in April A.D. 1825
for to give in their votes for governor [illegible]
[illegible] Committee: and also other
inhabitants of the town whose estates qualified to
vote on all town affairs belonging to the
Congregational [illegible]
[illegible] thing in Regard
to the support of the gospel in said society
the present year

Votes given in for Governor was as follows
Levi Lincoln forty two votes
Marcus Morton forty [illegible]
[illegible] Dimmick thirty[illegible]
[illegible] Chose a Committee [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Lane

[illegible] the above meeting [illegible]
[illegible] at 20 Clock [illegible]

[illegible]

Samuel [illegible]
[illegible]

To Ebenezer Paine Constable of the town of
Eastham Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to warn and Notify the freeholders and other inhabitants of the said town qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble and meet at the Congregational meeting house in said town on Saturday the fourteenth Day of [illegible] at [illegible] of the Clock in the afternoon for the following purposes

1st to raise a sum of money for the support of the poor and other contingent town charges and to pay the Towns debts

2nd to divide the town into as many School districts as the said Town shall think proper or alter the old district lines as the town may think best for the benefit of [illegible]

3rd and at such of the aforesaid inhabitants as are qualified to vote in the Electing Representative to the general court of this Commonwealth to meet at said time and place to give in their votes for a Representative to Represent said town in the next General Court of said Commonwealth if said town shall pass a vote to choose a Representative.

Given under our hands and seals this Seventh day of [illegible]
A. D. 1825

Harding Knowles } Select-
Freeman Knowles } men

At the above meeting Ebenezer Paine Moderator
Voted to act on the first article of the warrant
[illegible] to raise twelve hundred [illegible] for the [illegible]
[illegible] the poor [illegible] to be [illegible]
[illegible] not to act on the [illegible]
[illegible] voted also not to choose a Representative
[illegible]

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham held on monday the [illegible] day of Jany A.D. 1825 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Register of Deeds for the County of Barnstable the votes given in were as follows

for [illegible] five votes
for Ebenezer Wilson four votes
for Cornelius Crocker one vote
for Ebenezer [illegible] one vote
Attest George [illegible] Town Clerk

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham held at the [illegible] on monday [illegible] for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Register of Deeds for the County of Barnstable the votes given in were as follows

for [illegible] eight votes
for Ebenezer Wilson six votes
Attest George [illegible] Town Clerk

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham held in the town house on monday the [illegible] day of [illegible] A.D. 1825 for the purpose of giving in their votes for a Register of Deeds for the County of Barnstable the votes given in were as follows

for [illegible]
for Ebenezer Wilson [illegible]

George [illegible] Town Clerk

We the Subscribers Selectmen of the towns of
Eastham and Orleans having this day met
for the purpose of perambulating the line between
said towns as the law provides and directs have
mutually agreed and Reports as follows viz.
beginning at the mouth of the Rock Harbour River
thence up the middle of the River to the mouth
of Rock Harbour Road thence Southeasterly
by the Southerly side of said Road to the
Southwest corner of the Parsonage land to a stone
By the fence marked E.O. thence South five
degrees East [illegible] [illegible] Rods to a stone placed
by the fence marked E.O. to the Westward of
[illegible] Smith dwelling house thence East twelve
and half degrees South to the East side of the Road
twenty Rods to a stone marked E.O. in the range
of Reuben Dickerson and Elisha Smith land thence
in the range South fifty eight degrees East fifty seven
rods and Eleven twentyfifths of a Rod to Reuben Dick-
erson land to a stone marked E.O. thence South
forty six degrees West in Reuben Dickersons land four
Rods and twenty twentyfifths of a rod to a stone
marked E.O. [illegible] Smiths land thence North
[illegible] five degrees East forty rods to a stone marked E.O.
[illegible] the Edge of the Town meadow thence East [illegible]
to the Town meadow River thence up said River
Southerly in the middle of said River [illegible] the river
over to the foot Bridge across said meadow thence
Southerly in the [illegible] to a large [illegible] on the East side
of said [illegible] marked E.O. thence South sixteen
degrees East across the River and rising ground
thence through the swamp to a stone by

the Post road on the North side of said
road Marked E. O. thence East Northerly
on the north side of the road to a stone
Marked E. O. in Jeremiah Fuller Eight rods
and six twenty fifths of a rod thence as the gutter
goes into the cove thence down through the
middle of the said cove to a large stone on the
middle of Stone Island Marked E. O. thence
East southeast to a Stone marked E. O. in the
Marsh thence East south East into the Atlantic Ocean
Dated at Eastham this 11th day of
January A. D. 1826

Harding Knowles (Selectmen
Samuel Knowles (of the town of
Freeman Knowles (Eastham

John Kenrick (Selectmen of the
Thomas Higgins (town of Orleans

To Eleazer Pain Constable of the town of Eaſtham
greeting

you are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the male inhabitants of said town of Eaſtham qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet and assemble at the Congregational meeting house in said town on wednesday the first day of March next at one o clock in the afternoon to act on the following articles viz: 1st to choose a Moderator.

2d to choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year

3d to see if said town will pass a vote to stop cattle from going at large.

4th To see what the town will do or measures take concerning an alledged pauper in the town of [illegible]

5th to see if the town will allow Betsey & Lydia Smith's bill for taking care of Joshua Cann deceased.

Also all such of the aforesaid inhabitants qualified to vote in the choice of Representatives to assemble at said time and place to give in their votes for County Treasurer

2d to give in their votes for County Register

Given at Eaſtham this sixteenth day of February A. D. 1826.

Harding Knowles } Select men
Samuel Knowles } of Eaſtham
Freeman Knowles

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of Eaſtham to meet at the time and place for the purposes within mentioned

Eleazer Pain Constable
of Eaſtham

At the aforegoing meeting officers chosen viz
Freeman Knowles Moderator
George Clark Town Clerk

Freeman Knowles
Samuel Knowles } Select men
James H. Knowles

Samuel Knowles
Freeman Knowles } Assessors
Parker Brown
~~Joshua Higgins~~

George Collins Constable

Cushing Horton x
Joshua Knowles x } Surveyors of high ways
Henry Mayo

Moses Avery x } tithing men
Herman Doane

Barnabus T. Knowles x
Peter Walker x } field drivers
Samuel Mayo x
Parker Brown

Thomas Cobb Pound keeper

Harding Knowles
Timothy Cole } Surveyors of lumber
Prince S. Harding

Nathan Tinney fence viewers

Chauncey Rivers Leather sealer

At the above Meeting
Voted to stop cattle from going at large
Voted also to impower the select men to settle the paupers bill in the town of Wareal or to impower any agent for that purpose
Voted to leave it with the select men to settle Betsey and Lidia Smiths bill
Voted to adjourn the above meeting to the first Monday in April next at 2 o'clock P. M. G. Clark
town Clerk

Brought over
At the foregoing meeting Votes given in for
County Treasurer was as follows viz
for Ebenezer Bacon Esq. thirty nine votes
Votes given in for County Register as follows
for [illegible] Davis Esq. forty one votes
A true Record attest [illegible] Town Clerk
At the adjournment of the foregoing Meeting voted
to Choose a Collector for the ensuing year
voted Stephen Higgins for collector and adjourned
to the next may meeting.

To George Collins Constable of the town of Eastham
Greeting

You are hereby Required in the name of the Common
wealth of Massachusetts to notify the male inhabitants
of said town of Eastham qualified by the Constitution
to vote for Governor Lieutenant Governor Senators and
Counsellors to meet and assemble at the South meeting
house in said town on Monday the third day of
April next Ensuing at two O Clock in the afternoon
then to give in their votes for Governor Lieutenant
Governor Senators and Counsellors agreeable to the
Constitution of said Commonwealth
Hereof fail not and Make due Return. Given
under our hands and seals at Eastham this
25th day of March A.D. 1826
[illegible] Knowles } Selectmen
James H [illegible] } of Eastham

Votes given in at the above meeting was as follows
for Governor his Excellency Levi Lincoln 30 Votes
for Lieutenant Governor Hon. Thomas L. Winthrop 27 Votes
Mr. Barnabas [illegible] 3 votes
for Senator Nymphas Marston Esq 22 Votes
Elisha [illegible] Esq four votes
[illegible] Esq 3 votes
Attest George [illegible] Town Clerk

between Mr John [illegible] of [illegible]
[illegible] both of [illegible] has been
in this town [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
Eastham has been publi[illegible]
Eastham June 1822

The intention of marriage between Mr
Theophilus Smith [illegible]
both of Eastham has been publishd [illegible]
[illegible]

The intention of marriage between Mr
William Myrick of Orleans and Miss Polly Cole
of Eastham has been publishd in this town
as the law direct.
Eastham August 3d 1822
E Paine

The intention of marriage between Mr John
Cole of Orleans and Miss Lydia Higgins of
Eastham has been published in this town as the
law direct, Eastham Novemr 6th 1822.
E Paine

The intention of marriage between Mr David
Mayo of Eastham and Miss Sally [illegible] of
Orleans has been publishd as the law direct
Eastham Novemr 23d 1822 E Paine —

The intention of Marriage between Mr Daniel Hill and Miss Jerusha Knowles both of Eastham has been publish'd as the law directs September 1822 E Paine

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The intention of marriage between Mr Daniel Gill of Eastham and Miss Polly Chester of Wellfleet has been publish'd as the law directs E Paine
September 1822 E Paine

The intention of Marriage between Mr Whitfield Witherel of Wellfleet and Miss Phebe Doane of Eastham has been publish'd in this town as the law direct, Sept 1822 E Paine

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The intention of marriage between Mr Asa Gill and Miss Rebecca Doane has been publish'd in this town as the law directs Octb 1822 E Paine

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[illegible] marriage between
Mr Samuel [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] E Paine

The intention of marriage between Mr Timothy Smith and Miss Betty Knowles of Eastham has been publish'd in this town as the law directs
Sept 1823 E Paine

The intention of marriage between
Mr David Smith and Miss Alice [illegible]
both of Eastham has been published in
this town as the law directs
October 1823 — Eben^r Paine

[illegible] of [illegible]
Lincoln and Miss [illegible] of [illegible]
has been published in this town as the law directs
[illegible] 22 1824 — E. Paine

The intention of marriage between Mr [illegible]
[illegible] of Eastham and Miss [illegible]
[illegible] has been published in this town as
the law directs   Eben^r Paine T. Clerk
[illegible] 1824

The intention of marriage between Mr
[illegible] of Eastham and Miss
Jemima Crosby has been published in this
town as the law directs — E. Paine
Eastham Novem^r 13 1824

The intention of marriage between Mr [illegible]
[illegible] and Miss Ruth Doane of
Eastham has been published in the town as the
law directs   Eben^r Paine Town Clerk
Eastham Jany 5 1825

The intention of marriage between
[illegible]
[illegible] town as the
[illegible]
law directs   Eben^r Paine
Jany 7 — 1825

To Eyther of the Constables of the town of Eastham
Greeting
You are hereby Required in the Name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Notify and warn the male
inhabitants of said town being twenty one years of age
and upwards qualified as the Constitution prescribes to
Vote for Representative to meet at the South Meeting
house in said town on Monday the Eighth day of May
Next at two O Clock in the afternoon for the purpose
of Choosing a Representative to Represent said town in
the General Court to be Holden at Boston on the last
Wednesday of May next if said town shall vote to Choose
one And you are further Required by the authority
aforesaid to Notify and warn the male inhabitants of
said Eastham qualified to vote in town affairs to meet
at the above said place at three O Clock in the afternoon
on the above said day to act on the following articles Viz
1st to Choose a moderator 2d to Raise such a sum or sums of
money as said town shall think proper for the support
of the Poore and Schools and other charges of
said town for the insuing year 3d to see if the town
will allow the Selectmens Bill for the year past 4th
to see if the town will alter the Premium for Collecting
taxes in future 5th to see if the town will buy Books for
the town Clerk to keep the town accounts on 6th
to see if the town will allow the Doctors bill that
has been paid by Capt Saml Knowles at Plymouth
and also to see what alterations there shall be made in
Regards to Equalising the School Districts in said town
or District the town anew
Given under our hands and
Seals this 28 Day of April 1826

Freeman Knowles) Select
Saml Knowles) men of
Yarmouth Knowles) Eastham

at the foregoing meeting the town of Eastham Voted not to Choose a Representative for the present year at the foregoing town meting Voted to rais nine hundred and twenty Dollars for the use of the town two hundred of the above sum to be appropriated for Schools the ensuing years Voted alſo to rais Eighty Dollars to buy wood for the publick town Schools the ensuing winter Voted to allow the Selectmen twenty one dollars for their Servises the year past Voted that the Collectors office Shall be Sot at Action the next march meting with giving Sufficiant Surety to the town Voted alſo to appropriate five dollars for the Town Clerk to by Books to keep the towns accounts on Voted to allow the Doctors bill that Capt Saml Knowles paid in Plymouth Voted to Choose a Committee to Equalise the School Districts in Said town and Report to the town Clerk and School District Committee in one month from the above Date the Committee Chosen was as follows 6 Winslow Knowles Barnabas Doane Obediah Doane Harding Knowles Parker Brown

To Joseph Collins Constable of the town of Eastham
Greeting

You are Hereby Required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the male inhabitants of the town of Eastham who are qualified by the Constitution to vote for Representatives in the General Court of this Commonwealth to meet and assemble at the South meeting house on the sixth day of November next being the first monday in said month at two oclock in the afternoon to give in their votes for a Representative of said Commonwealth in the Congress of the United States for the Barnstable District

Given under our hands and Seals at Eastham
October 28th 1826
Freeman Knowles } Selectmen
Saml [illegible] } of Eastham

The above meeting was held at the above time and place and the votes given in was as follows for
Hon John Reed forty five votes
Attest G Clark { Town Clerk

At a legal Meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Eastham held on Monday the Eleventh day of December 1826 1st to see if said Town would vote to repair Treat Mayo's house or build one as said Town shall think best or act on any other matter or thing in regard to said house that they shall think best. At the above meeting it was voted that the Select men should provide a House for Treat Mayo Provided he would consent for the Overseers of the Poor to bind out his children.

G Clark { Town Clerk

TREATMENT REPORT
March 2008

TOWN
RECORDS
A, B, C, D
c. 1797-1826
EASTHAM, MA

Condition on receipt: Book previously rebound. Paper acidic, weak, torn and chipped at edges.

Treatment: Book dismantled and binding materials removed. Gross tears mended with Japanese tissue or Crompton heat set tissue. Paper deacidified using magnesium oxide. Sheets encapsulated in archival grade polyester envelopes. Envelopes bound in record binder.

BROWN'S RIVER RECORDS PRESERVATION SERVICES ESSEX, VT